EXHIBIT B

CAUSE NO	C-2066-17	-H
IBS WAREHOUSING LLC AND CI LOGISTICS, LLC	\$ \$ \$	IN THE DISTRICT COURT
VS. UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON; INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; AND INTERNATIONAL	<i>あらららららららららららららららららららららららららららららららららららら</i>	JUDICIAL DISTRICT
INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE	3 & &	HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS

PLAINTIFF'S ORIGINAL PETITION

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

COME NOW, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC and CI LOGISTICS, LLC (herein "Plaintiffs"), and file this Original Petition complaining of Defendants, UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON; INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; AND INTERNATIONAL

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INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE and for cause of action shows the Court the following:

I. DISCOVERY CONTROL PLAN

1. Plaintiff intends to conduct Level 3 discovery under Texas Rules of Civil Procedure 190.4.

II. CLAIM FOR RELIEF

2. Plaintiff seeks monetary relief over \$1,000,000.

III. PARTIES

- 3. Plaintiffs, **IBS Warehousing LLC and CI Logistics, LLC**, are corporations doing business in Hidalgo County, Texas.
- 4. Defendant, Underwriters at Lloyd's, London doing business as Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so. The citizenship of the lead underwriter Names for each listed Syndicate for this policy is unknown to Plaintiff.
- 5. Defendant, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, whose principal place of business is located at 505 Eagleview Blvd., Ste. 100; Dept: Regulatory, Exton, PA 19341-1120 and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas

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Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.

- 6. Defendant, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, whose principal place of business is located at 88 Pine Street, 16th Floor, Wall Street Plaza, New York, NY 10005 and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.
- 7. Defendant, **Steadfast Insurance Company**, whose principal place of business is located at 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, IL 60196 and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.
- 8. Defendant, **General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona**, whose principal place of business is located at One Seaport Plaza, 199 Water Street, New York, NY 10038-3626 and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.

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- 9. Defendant, **United Specialty Insurance Company**, whose principal place of business is located at 1900 L. Don Dodson Drive, Bedford, Texas 76021 and is authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because the insurance policy at issue in this case requires service in this manner.
- 10. Defendant, **Lexington Insurance Company**, whose principal place of business is located at 100 Summer Street #2000, Boston, MA 02110 and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.
- 11. Defendant, **Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company**, whose principal place of business is located at 55 College Road East, Princeton, NJ 08543 and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.
- 12. Defendant, International Insurance Company of Hannover SE whose principal place of business is located at Roderbruchstrasse 26, 30655 Hannover, Germany and authorized to conduct business in Texas, may be served with process by serving the Texas Commissioner of Insurance at 333 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas

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78701, as its agent for service because defendant is required by Texas Insurance Code section 804.103(b) to appoint and maintain an agent for service of process but has not done so.

IV. VENUE AND JURISDICTION

- 13. Suit is proper in Hidalgo County, Texas because all or a substantial part of the events giving rise to the lawsuit occurred in this county, and the damaged real property at issue is located in Hidalgo County, Texas. Tex.CIV.P.REM. Code §§15.002 (a)(1), 15.011. Thus, venue is proper in Hidalgo County, Texas.
- 14. Defendant United Specialty Insurance Company ("United") has its principal place of business at its headquarters in Bedford, Texas. United is a wholly owned subsidiary company of State National Companies, Inc. which also has its principal place of business in Bedford, Texas. Because Plaintiff has asserted independent state law claims against United as one of the pooled insurers for the insurance policy at issue in this case, diversity jurisdiction does not exist. Thus, the Federal Courts lack subject matter jurisdiction over this action, as there is no federal question and incomplete diversity of citizenship. Removal would be improper under 28 USC § 1441(b), because at least one of the Defendants is a citizen of the state in which this action is brought. Every claim arising under the Constitution, treaties, or laws of the United States is expressly disclaimed (including any claim arising from an act or omission on a federal enclave, or of any officer of the U.S. or any agency or person acting under him occurring under color of such office). Plaintiffs sue no foreign state or agency.

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15. Insurers issued an insurance policy naming Plaintiff as the insured and providing coverage for direct physical loss or damage caused by wind and hail to Plaintiff's building, located at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas. The insurers have liability under the policy with the following percentages:

Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's London –23.5% Indian Harbor Insurance Company –6% QBE Specialty Insurance Company –22% Steadfast Insurance Company –20% General Security Indemnity Co. of Arizona –7.0% United Specialty Insurance Company –11.5% Lexington Insurance Company –6.5% Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Ins. Co. –1.5% International Ins. Co. of Hannover SE –2%

Plaintiff had insurance protection on the building and on any personal property for any and each such loss resulting from wind and hail damage. On May 31, 2016, the IBS Warehouse suffered hail damage. CJW & Associates, a Third Party Administrator acting on behalf of Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's London, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, Steadfast Insurance Company, General Security Insurance Company of Arizona, United Specialty Insurance Company, Lexington Insurance Company, Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company and International Insurance Company of Hannover SE investigated the claim, however, CJW incorrectly concluded that the loss did not exceed Plaintiffs' hail deductible. CJW relied upon an insurance adjusting firm Pacesetter claims which performed a superficial inspection and concluded that the roof was not damaged by hail or wind. Based on this report, CJW concluded that because the damage did not exceed Plaintiffs' hail deductible they would not issue payment on Plaintiffs' claim.

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16. CJW also employed Rimkus Consulting to inspect the building and determine if there was damage caused by wind or hail. Rimkus prepared a report dated August 11, 2016, and noted that there is evidence of hail damage to the roof and rooftop air conditioning units. Rimkus noted that there were spatter marks on the EPDM throughout the roof surface consistent with hail strikes. Rimkus further noted the existence of storm information from May 31, 2016, which indicated hail size of 1.3 inch diameter hail. However, Rimkus failed to check the insulation underneath the EPDM roof membrane to see if it was damaged. This insulation was severely damaged by the hailstorm impairing its usefulness and must be replaced.

17. CIL retained a roofer to inspect the roof and determine if there was any hail damage to the roof. Baldwin Roofing noted that hail strikes had damaged the insulation underneath the EPDM roof membrane after looking underneath the EPDM membrane. In order to repair the damaged insulation, the roof membrane must be removed. The removal process damages the membrane such that a new membrane is required in order to repair and replace the damaged roof insulation. All of this is covered by Plaintiffs' insurance policy, and Defendants, through CJW, have wrongfully denied Plaintiffs' claim.

18. Plaintiffs hired the undersigned attorneys to pursue the matter following CJW & Associates' mishandling and denial of the claim.

V. CAUSES OF ACTION

A. TEXAS INSURANCE CODE VIOLATIONS AGAINST DEFENDANTS

19. Plaintiff incorporates each of the previous allegations set forth herein.

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- 20. Contemporaneous with the filing of suit, written demand for payment and notice of complaint pursuant to the Texas Insurance Code, Section 541 and 542, et seq. was sent to Defendants. All notices and proofs of loss were timely given in such manner as to fully comply with the terms and conditions of the Policy and applicable law. In the alternative, Plaintiffs allege that as to any such terms, conditions, notices, or requirements, their insurer has waived them, and is estopped from asserting them, and/or Plaintiffs substantially complied with them.
- 21. Defendants are liable for violating the following provisions of the Texas Insurance Code:

Section 541.060(a)(2)(A), for failing to attempt in good faith to effectuate a prompt, fair, and equitable settlement of a claim after its liability was reasonably clear;

Section 541.060(a)(7) for failing to conduct a reasonable investigation of the claim;

Section 542.003(a), by engaging in unfair claims settlement practices, as described in 542.003(b), to wit:

- (2) failing to acknowledge with reasonable promptness pertinent communications relating to a claim arising under the insurer's policy; and
- (3) failing to adopt and implement reasonable standards for the prompt investigation of claims arising under the insurer's policies; and

Section 542.058, for failing to pay a claim in a timely manner.

Defendants' violations of the Texas Insurance Code have proximately caused Plaintiffs' damages. Thus, Plaintiffs are entitled to 18% per annum interest of the amount of actual damages and attorney's fees under Section 542.050 of the Texas Insurance Code.

B. BREACH OF CONTRACT

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- 22. Plaintiffs incorporate each of the previous allegations set forth herein.
- 23. Plaintiffs paid the premiums under the Policy and met the conditions precedent to the insurer's obligation to pay the Plaintiffs' losses under the Policy.
- 24. Insurer failed to pay the value of the Plaintiffs' claims, thereby materially breaching the Policy and causing Plaintiffs to suffer those losses together with other harm as described further in this petition. Specifically, Insurer failed to conduct a reasonable investigation of the Plaintiffs' claims, failed to extend coverage for direct loss or damage caused by a covered cause of loss, and failed to adequately compensate Plaintiffs for damage to the premises, all of which are the Insurer's obligations under the contract of insurance.

VI. ACTUAL DAMAGES AND TREBLING OF DAMAGES

- 25. Plaintiffs incorporate each of the previous allegations set forth herein
- 26. Defendants' conduct as described above was a producing cause of Plaintiffs' economic damages. As a result, Plaintiffs sustained damages in an amount that is within the jurisdictional limits of this Court. The cost to repair and replace the insulation damaged by hail and inclusive of tear out costs equals \$2,105,624.00 which damages are sought by Plaintiffs herein against each Defendant in the percentage of liability as stated hereinabove.
- 27. These acts and omissions on Defendants' part were done knowingly, that is, with an actual awareness of the falsity, unfairness, or deception of the conduct described and, therefore, Defendants are independently liable for these "knowing" violations. Defendants were aware or should have been aware that the insulation could have been damaged (with evidence of hail damage on air conditioning units and spatter

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marks on the EPDM membrane), yet Defendants knowingly failed to perform an adequate investigation hoping to avoid their responsibility under the policy.

28. Consequently, Plaintiffs request that the trier of fact award to it additional damages of up to three (3) times the sum of actual damages suffered against Defendants as provided by Texas Insurance Code Section 541.152(b).

VII. RULE 47(c) STATEMENT

29. In accordance with Texas Rule of Civil Procedure 47(c), Plaintiffs plead that the relief they seek is monetary in nature and is over \$1,000,000.00.

VIII. ATTORNEY'S FEES

30. Defendants' conduct as described in this petition and the resulting damage and loss to Plaintiffs has necessitated Plaintiffs retention of the attorneys whose names are subscribed to this petition. Plaintiffs are, therefore, entitled to recover from Defendants an additional sum to compensate Plaintiffs for a reasonable fee for such attorney's necessary services in the preparation and prosecution of this action, as well as a reasonable fee for any and all necessary appeals to other courts. Plaintiffs have presented their claim for attorney's fees, but Defendants have failed to pay. Thus, Plaintiffs request attorney's fees under Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code §38.001, et seq., and Texas Insurance Code §§ 541.152(a)(1), 542.060.

IX. CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

31. All of the conditions precedent to bringing this suit and to Insurer's liability under the Policy for the claims alleged have been performed or have occurred.

X. JURY DEMAND

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32. Plaintiffs respectfully request trial of this cause before a Hidalgo County jury.

XI. PRAYER

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs request that Defendants be cited to appear and answer, and that on final trial, Plaintiffs have the following:

- Judgment against the defendants for actual damages in excess of the a. minimum jurisdictional limits of this Court;
- By reason of defendant's knowing and intentional conduct, treble damages b. as allowed by Section 541.152(b) of the Texas Insurance Code;
- Prejudgment interest as provided by law; C.
- d. Postjudgment interest as provided by law;
- Attorney's fees; e.
- f. Costs of suit; and
- All other relief to which Plaintiffs may show themselves entitled, either at g. law or in equity, either general or special, under the facts set forth in its claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; AND	§	
INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE	§	
COMPANY OF HANOVER SE	§	
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	§	HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS

ORIGINAL ANSWER OF DEFENDANTS THOSE CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON SUBSCRIBING SEVERALLY TO CERTIFICATE NUMBER AMR-53478-01, INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA, UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY POLICY, AND INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANNOVER

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT

COME NOW, Defendants Those Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London subscribing severally to Certificate AMR-53478-01, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, Steadfast Insurance Company, General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona, United Specialty Insurance Company, Lexington Insurance Company, Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company Policy, and International Insurance Company of

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Hannover (collectively "Defendants"), in the above styled and numbered cause, and files their Original Answer to Plaintiffs' Original Petition.

ARBITRATION

1. The Policy sued upon contains a valid, binding and enforceable arbitration provision. Arbitration should be compelled and this proceeding stayed.

GENERAL DENIAL

2. Defendants hereby deny generally each and every, all and singular, of the material allegations set forth by Plaintiffs and demands strict proof thereof by a preponderance of the evidence.

REQUEST FOR COURT REPORTER

3. Pursuant to the Texas Government Code § 52.046 (Vernon 1988), Defendants request that a court reporter attend all sessions of the court in conjunction with this civil action.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED Defendants pray that Plaintiffs take nothing by its suit, for costs of court, and for such other and further relief to which Defendants may show themselves to be justly entitled.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was forwarded to all known counsel of record in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure via electronic filing and service.

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JOINT NOTICE OF REFERRAL TO ARBITRATION AND JOINT MOTION FOR STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT

COME NOW Plaintiffs IBS Warehousing LLC and CI Logistics, LLC (collectively "Plaintiffs") and Defendants Those Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London subscribing severally to Certificate AMR-53478-01, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, Steadfast Insurance Company, General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona, United Specialty Insurance Company, Lexington Insurance Company, Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company Policy, and International Insurance Company of Hannover (collectively "Defendants"), and file this Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration and Joint Motion for Stay of Proceedings and jointly move this Court to stay the action until the

Arbitration is complete, because this controversy is governed by a valid, irrevocable and enforceable Arbitration Agreement.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

A. The Lawsuit and Request for Arbitration

2. This lawsuit involves a claim by Plaintiffs for insurance proceeds under a Commercial Property Insurance Policy. Differences exist as to the existence and scope of damages to a warehouse complex located at 6800 International Pkwy, McAllen, Texas 78503. Thus, on July 5, 2017, Defendants sent Plaintiffs a Request for Arbitration via their attorney, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A". Plaintiffs have agreed to Defendants' Request for Arbitration, and join with Defendants to give this Court notice that all matters in difference are being referred to arbitration.

B. The Policy

3. The Policy contains the AmRisc, LP Commercial Property Compass Form. It provides that:

In consideration of the premium charged, this policy covers for direct physical loss of or damage to the Covered Property caused by a covered Cause of Loss occurring during the policy period. Coverage shall be subject to the terms, conditions, definitions, exclusions, limitations and provisions contained herein.

ARBITRATION CLAUSE

- 4. Section VII Conditions in the Policy contains the following Arbitration Clause:
 - C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other

for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matter which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

The Arbitration Tribunal may not award exemplary, punitive, multiple or other damages of a similar nature.

The award of the Arbitration Tribunal shall be in writing and binding upon the parties who covenant to carry out the same. If either of the parties should fail to carry out any award the other may apply for its enforcement to a court of competent jurisdiction in any territory in which the party in default is domiciled or has assets or carries on business.

FEDERAL ARBITRATION ACT

- 5. The Federal Arbitration Act ("FAA"), 9 U.S.C. §§ 1 16 applies to the Policy and Plaintiffs' claims. The Policy involves interstate commerce as the Policy insuring Plaintiffs' risks was issued on behalf of the Insurers by a foreign limited liability company, and is insured by insurers in multiple states and countries. The phrase, "involving commerce" was enacted with intent "to exercise Congress's commerce power to the full".¹
- 6. Pursuant to the FAA, the arbitration clause of the Policy is valid, irrevocable and enforceable. Section 2 of the FAA provides in pertinent part as follows:

A written provision in any . . . contract evidencing a transaction involving commerce to settle by arbitration a controversy thereafter arising out of such contract or transaction . . . shall be valid, irrevocable, and enforceable, save upon such grounds as exist at law or in equity for the revocation of any contract.²

VALIDITY OF AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE

7. The policy meets the requirements of the general contract law of the State of Texas, and is therefore valid. Plaintiff is not challenging the validity of the Policy, because it is the very contract upon which Plaintiff sues. Since the Policy is valid and enforceable, so is the Arbitration Clause contained therein.

CONTROVERSY WITHIN SCOPE OF ARBITRATION CLAUSE.

8. The Arbitration Clause in the Policy provides that "all matters in difference" between Plaintiffs and Defendants in relation to the Policy, are to be referred to Arbitration. The Arbitration Clause is amply broad to encompass all of Plaintiffs' claims.

2 9 U.S.C. §2.

¹ Allied - Bruce Terminix Cos. v. Dobson, 513 U.S. 265, 277 (1995).

MOTION FOR STAY

9. Section 3 of the Federal Arbitration Act provides as follows:

If any suit or proceeding be brought in any of the courts of the United States upon any issue referable to arbitration under an agreement in writing for such arbitration, the court in which such suit is pending, upon being satisfied that the issue involved in such suit or proceeding is referable to arbitration under such an agreement, shall on application of one of the parties stay the trial of the action until such arbitration has been had in accordance with the terms of the agreement, providing the applicant for the stay is not in default in proceeding with such arbitration.³

10. Accordingly, the Joint Motion to Stay This Proceeding should be granted.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED Plaintiffs and Defendants pray that the Court recognize the referral to arbitration and move the Court to Stay this Proceeding pending completion of Arbitration, and pray for such other and further relief, at law or in equity, to which they may be justly entitled.

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REQUEST FOR ARBITRATION

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Re:

Insured

IBS Warehousing, LLC and CI Logistics, LLC

Policy

Certificate AMR-53478-01(Underwriters)

AMP7528648-01 (Indian Harbor) MSP-20595-01 (OBE Specialty) CPP1009669-01 (Steadfast)

10T029659-05172-16-01 (General Security)

USI-16248-01 (United Specialty) LEX-084299846-01 (Lexington) 7DA3CM0004963-01 (Princeton)

HAN-15141-01 (Hannover)

Property

6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas 78503

Date of Loss:

May 31, 2016

Cause of Loss: Wind/hail

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Dear Mr. Kirby:

I represent those Certain Underwriters at Lloyds's London subscribing severally to Certificate Number AMR-53478-01 ("Underwriters"), Indian Harbor Insurance Company, the issuer of Policy Number AMP7528648-01 ("Indian Harbor"), QBE Specialty Insurance Company, the issuer of Policy Number MSP-20595-01 ("QBE Specialty"), Steadfast Insurance Company, the issuer of Policy Number CPP1009669-01 ("Steadfast"), General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona, the issuer of Policy No. 10T029659-05172-16-01 ("General Security"), United Specialty Insurance Company, the issuer of Policy No. USI-16248-01 ("United Specialty"), Lexington Insurance Company, the issuer of Policy No. LEX-084299846-01 ("Lexington"), Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company, the issuer of Policy No. 7DA3CM0004963-01 ("Princeton"), and International Insurance Company of Hannover SE, the issuer of Policy No. HAN-15141-01 ("Hannover"). The Certificate and Policies issued by my clients are referred to herein as the "Policy". The issuers of the Policy are referred to herein as the "Insurers".

The Insurers issued the Policy to IBS Warehousing, LLC and CI Logistics, LLC (collectively "IBS") covering a vacant warehouse complex located at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas 78503 ("Property").

On June 1, 2016, IBS reported damage to the Property, allegedly caused by wind, with a reported date of loss of May 31, 2016 ("Occurrence").

Rimkus Consulting Group, Inc. was retained to inspect, investigate and report on any damages caused by the Occurrence. Based on the conclusions of Rimkus and the adjustment of the claim, it was determined any wind or hail damage caused by the Occurrence was less than the \$50,000.00 wind/hail deductible in the Policy.

Apparently, differences between IBS and the Insurers exist, because the Lawsuit was filed on May 4, 2017 in the 389th District Court of Hidalgo County, Texas. Please be advised that a District Court in Hidalgo County, Texas is not the proper forum for this dispute. IBS and the Insurers agreed that all differences between them are to be referred to Arbitration in the State of New York.

Accordingly, on behalf of the Insurers, request is hereby made that IBS participate in Arbitration in accordance with the terms of the Policy.

In the Policy, Section VII – Conditions contains the following Arbitration Clause:

C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after

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the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matter which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

The Arbitration Tribunal may not award exemplary, punitive, multiple or other damages of a similar nature.

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The award of the Arbitration Tribunal shall be in writing and binding upon the parties who covenant to carry out the same. If either of the parties should fail to carry out any award the other may apply for its enforcement to a court of competent jurisdiction in any territory in which the party in default is domiciled or has assets or carries on business.

In accordance with the Arbitration Clause, the Insurers will make every effort to agree with IBS on a single Arbitrator within thirty days of this request for Arbitration. If agreement cannot be reached on a single arbitrator, then the arbitrators shall be selected as provided in the Arbitration Clause. Unless IBS and the Insurers otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in insurance underwriting or claims. The Insurers will propose one or more Arbitrators for IBS' consideration within ten (10) days.

To indicate the agreement of IBS to arbitrate this dispute, I have enclosed a Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration and Agreed Motion to Stay, for your signature and filing with the Court. Please notify me immediately if IBS refuses to participate in arbitration.

I look forward to hearing from you as soon as practicable.

Very truly yours,

Carter L. Ferguson

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CAUSE NO. C-2066-17-H

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PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ARBITRATOR

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT:

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, IBS Warehousing LLC and CI Logistics, LLC and file this, their Motion for Appointment of Arbitrator, and would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

INTRODUCTION

1. This suit involves a hail insurance claim on a large warehouse/office building located in McAllen, Texas. The damage resulting from the hail storm exceeds two million dollars. After this suit was initially filed in this court, the parties filed a joint motion for referral to arbitration on August 2, 2017. On August 4, 2017, this court signed an order requiring arbitration of the disputes set out in Plaintiff's original petition. (See

Exhibit 1). In the order, the court "retained any rights it may have under 9 USC section 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act" to appoint an arbitrator if the parties cannot agree on the third umpire arbitrator. Because of Defendants' wrongful and bad faith actions, the parties are at an impasse as to the appointment of the umpire arbitrator. As a result, the court will need to appoint the umpire arbitrator so that this arbitration can move forward.

ARGUMENT AND AUTHORITIES

2. This arbitration is governed by the Federal Arbitration Act. The arbitration agreement at issue in this case reads as follows:

All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint the, *by mutual agreement only*, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims. (See exhibit 2; emphasis added)

3. Defendant insurers designated their arbitrator Dale Frediani on August 9, 2017. Plaintiffs designated their arbitrator Mike Krismer on September 5, 2017. Due to a heavy workload involving Hurricane Harvey, Mr. Krismer resigned effective June 14, 2018. Mr. Krismer and Mr. Frediani were supposed to attempt to agree on the claim if

possible before selecting a third arbitrator, but they never really conferred as Defendants refused multiple offers to allow their arbitrator to inspect the building.

- 4. On June 15, 2018, Defendants appointed Dan Stouffer to replace Mr. Krismer. First, according to the provisions noted above, Mr. Stouffer and Mr. Frediani are supposed to attempt to agree upon the claim. If they cannot agree, they then attempt to agree on the neutral arbitrator. This has not taken place as of this filing. Mr. Stouffer came down and inspected the building on July 17, 2018, but Mr. Frediani declined the invitation. Opposing counsel did call and ask if the inspection could be rescheduled. Plaintiffs' counsel offered to make this attempt to reschedule and requested available dates for Mr. Frediani to inspect. No dates were provided, and Defendants' counsel never called back. Instead, Defendants improperly and in bad faith filed a petition in New York just a few days after the inspection occurred. (See Exhibit 3).
- 5. In a misguided attempt to usurp this court's power, Defendants filed their petition to have an arbitrator appointed with knowledge that this court is the court of dominant jurisdiction and with knowledge that the agreed order referring this matter to arbitration specifically reserved this right to the court.
- 6. In their filing, Defendants have stated that their selected arbitrator and Plaintiffs' selected arbitrator "have been unable to select an umpire as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal." (See Exhibit 3). This allegation is at best misleading, and at worst false, because the two arbitrators never spoke nor corresponded. They never exchanged any names of potential arbitrators to see if they could agree on the umpire. Regardless, with their filing, Defendants have made it clear that they do not intend to agree upon any arbitrator suggested by Dan Stouffer. Thus, the issue is ripe for the

court's decision because the parties cannot agree upon a neutral arbitrator.

7. The FAA contains provisions that determine how an arbitrator can be appointed if the parties' arbitration agreement results in a lapse. 9 U.S.C.A. § 5 provides as follows:

If in the agreement provision be made for a method of naming or appointing an arbitrator or arbitrators or an umpire, such method shall be followed; but if no method be provided therein, or if a method be provided and any party thereto shall fail to avail himself of such method, or if for any other reason there shall be a lapse in the naming of an arbitrator or arbitrators or umpire, or in filling a vacancy, then upon the application of either party to the controversy the court shall designate and appoint an arbitrator or arbitrators or umpire, as the case may require, who shall act under the said agreement with the same force and effect as if he or they had been specifically named therein; and unless otherwise provided in the agreement the arbitration shall be by a single arbitrator. (Emphasis added).

- 8. Defendants have not proposed an arbitrator to be appointed in this case as the neutral arbitrator. Plaintiffs' selected arbitrator, Dan Stouffer, has proposed Lawrence W. Ruff, III as the umpire arbitrator. His CV is attached as Exhibit 4.
- 9. The arbitration provision is vague as to the qualifications for the arbitrator and very broad. It reads as follows: "Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims." Plaintiff's proposed Umpire has been engaged in insurance claims since 2001. His CV is attached as Exhibit 4 and incorporated by reference the same as if copied herein. He has a great deal of experience adjusting, appraising, and arbitrating insurance claims in Texas and throughout the United States.
- 11. Plaintiffs, their employees, owners and representatives have never spoken with or corresponded with Mr. Ruff. Likewise, Plaintiffs' attorneys have never communicated with Mr. Ruff. Mr. Ruff is qualified to act as the neutral arbitrator for this case, and Plaintiffs seek to have the court appoint him.

PRAYER

12. Plaintiffs request that this court appoint Lawrence Ruff as the Umpire for the arbitration previously ordered by the court and for all further relief to which Plaintiffs may show themselves entitled.

Respectfully submitted, JONES, GALLIGAN, KEY & LOZANO, L.L.P. 2300 West Pike Boulevard, Suite 300 Weslaco, TX 78596

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Attorneys for Plaintiffs, IBS Warehousing, LLC and CI Logistics, LLC

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on August 3, 2018, a copy of **PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ARBITRATOR** was filed using the eFileTexas.gov system, and Mr. Ferguson was served through this system by email.

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LANCE A. KIRBY

CAUSE NO. C-2066-17H

IBS WAREHOUSING LLC AND IN THE DISTRICT COURT CI LOGISTICS, LLC Plaintiff, VS. 389th JUDICIAL DISTRICT UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON; INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL § SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE Defendants.

DALE S. FREDIANI, SR., being duly sworn, deposes and says that:

- 1. I am a Principal with RMG Consulting, LLC in Parsippany New Jersey, and have been since December 1999. I serve as claims management consultant, auditor, arbitrator and appraiser in the State of New York and nationwide.
- 2. On or about August 9, 2017, I was appointed by the Insurers¹ who subscribe to the subject Policy of Insurance as their Arbitrator regarding Plaintiff's insurance claim at their property located in McAllen, Texas pursuant to the arbitration clause in the insurance Policy at issue in this arbitration.

¹ Underwriters at Lloyd's London doing business as Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's London, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, Steadfast Insurance Company, General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona, United Specialty Insurance Company, Lexington Insurance Company, Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company and International Insurance Company of Hanover SE are collectively hereinafter referred to as the "Insurers".

- 3. Prior to September 5, 2017, the Respondents appointed Michael Krismer as their Arbitrator.
- 4. I attempted to contact Mr. Krismer numerous times to discuss the arbitration and, other than one voicemail in January 2018, Mr. Krismer did not respond to my phone calls and emails.
- 5. My intentions in attempting to discuss the arbitration with Mr. Krismer were to introduce myself, discuss procedure and to propose that we work to mutually select an Umpire as called for in the Arbitration clause.
- 6. I did not learn of Mr. Krismer's resignation and Mr. Stouffer's appointment until July 2018.
- 7. I first learned of Mr. Stouffer's proposal that Lawrence Ruff III serve as an Umpire for this arbitration on August 8, 2018 when counsel for the Plaintiffs and the Insurers sent me and Mr. Stouffer a joint email requesting that we consider Mr. Ruff or undertake to select another Umpire by August 23, 2018.
- 8. Mr. Stouffer and I had a joint telephone call with Mr. Ruff to assess his qualifications on August 14, 2018.
- 9. I do not believe that Mr. Ruff is qualified to serve as a neutral Umpire in this arbitration for several reasons, including background, experience and his area of expertise as an estimator which lies outside the requirements of the Arbitration clause.
- 10. On August 21, 2018, I advised Mr. Stouffer that I am not comfortable with Mr. Ruff serving as our Umpire in this matter.

- 11. I suggested to Mr. Stouffer that we each proposed three candidates and then we can each strike two of the of the three and do a random selection from the remaining two, or we can each rank all 6 and select whoever has the highest combined score.
- 12. Mr. Stouffer appeared amenable to employing one of these neutral selection methods for selecting our Umpire.
- 13. On August 21, 2018, Mr. Stouffer and I jointly requested that counsel for the Plaintiffs and the Insurers extend the August 23, 2018 deadline for us to select an Umpire to September 11, 2018.
- 14. It is my understanding that Plaintiff's counsel would not agree to extend the deadline.
- 15. Nevertheless, I am optimistic that Mr. Stouffer and I will be able to reach an agreement on the appointment of an Umpire in the near future.
- 16. The statements contained in this Affidavit are based upon my own personal knowledge and, if called as a witness, I can competently and truthfully testify to these facts.
 - 17. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

DALE S. FREDIANI, SR.

STATE OF New Jersey) ss COUNTY OF Morris)

On the 2 day of August in the year 2018 before me, the undersigned, personally appeared Dale Frediani, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual executed the instrument.

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PLAINTIFFS' APPLICATION FOR ANTI-SUIT INJUNCTION

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC and CI LOGISTICS, LLC and file this, their Application for Anti-Suit Injunction against Defendants, UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON; INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; UNITED **SPECIALTY** INSURANCE COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; AND INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE, seeking a temporary restraining order followed by a temporary injunction and permanent injunction, and would show the Court

as follows:

1. Plaintiffs hereby ask the Court to issue a temporary restraining order followed by a temporary injunction and permanent injunction in order to safeguard its jurisdiction over the dispute currently before this Court. Because suit was first filed in Hidalgo County, jurisdiction over the entirety of this dispute should remain in Hidalgo County.

BACKGROUND

- 2. This suit involves a hail insurance claim on a large warehouse/office building located in McAllen, Texas. The damage resulting from the hail storm exceeds two million dollars. After this suit was initially filed in this Court, the parties filed a joint motion for referral to arbitration on August 2, 2017. On August 4, 2017, this court signed an order requiring arbitration of the disputes set out in Plaintiff's Original Petition. (See Exhibit 1) In the order, the court retained any rights it may have under 9 USC section 5 to appoint an arbitrator if the parties cannot agree on the third umpire arbitrator.
- 3. On July 20, 2018, Defendants filed a petition in New York State court in seeking to have a New York judge appoint an arbitrator for this case which has been pending for more than a year. (See attached Exhibit 2). Defendants provided no notice of this filing to Plaintiffs' attorney and had it served on July 31, 2018. The parties are at an impasse as to the appointment of the umpire arbitrator. As a result, the court will need to appoint the umpire arbitrator so that this arbitration can move forward.

ARGUMENT AND AUTHORITIES

4. A Texas court that has subject matter jurisdiction over a pending suit and personal jurisdiction over the parties to the suit also has the jurisdictional power to protect its jurisdiction by enjoining the parties to a suit filed in another Texas court.

Gannon v. Payne, 706 S.W.2d 304, 305-6 (Tex. 1986); Nguyen v. Intertex, Inc., 93 S.W.3d 288, 298 (tex.App.—Houston [14th Dist.] 2002, no pet.). The same principal applies to suits filed in the courts of sister states. Christensen v. Inegrity Ins. Co., 719 S.W.2d 161, 163 (Tex. 1986); London Market Insurers v. Am. Home Assur., 95 S.W.3d 702, 706 (Tex.App.—Corpus Christi 2003, no pet.).

- 5. As long as the court has personal jurisdiction of the person or persons to be enjoined, an anti-suit injunction may be addressed to a party's conduct in any geographic region. *Cunningham v. State*, 353 S.W.2d 514, 516-17 (Civ.App.—Dallas 1962, ref. n.r.e.) (injunction operates in personam, not in rem).
- 6. An anti-suit injunction is appropriate in four instances: (1) to address a threat to the court's jurisdiction; (2) to prevent the evasion of important public policy; (3) to prevent a multiplicity of suits; or (4) to protect a party from vexatious or harassing litigation. *Frost Nat. Bank v. Fernandez*, 315 S.W.3d 494, 512 (Tex. 2010); *Golden Rule Ins. Co. v. Harper*, 925 S.W.2d 649, 651 (Tex. 1996); *Gannon v. Payne*, S.W.2d 304, 307 (Tex. 1986); *Nguyen v. Intertex, Inc.*, 93 S.W.3d 288, 298 (Tex.App.—Houston [14th Dist.] 2002, no pet.) (antisuit injunction was warranted based on plaintiff's repeated filing of bills of review); see also *Gurvich v. Tyree*, 694 S.W.2d 39, 43 (Tex.App—Corpus Christi 1985, no writ) (existence of a multiplicity of suits in itself constitutes the inadequacy of the remedy at law and will confer equitable jurisdiction).
- 7. Under *Golden Rule*, a trial court, in the exercise of its plenary power, can issue an anti-suit injunction only if it will serve at least one of the *Golden Rule* purposes listed above. *Golden Rule Ins. Co. v. Harper*, 925 S.W.2d 649, 651 (Tex. 1996). If the other action were to proceed with the New York court appointing an arbitrator, this court would lose that power which belongs to this court as the first filed action.

- 8. In the present case, three of the four *Golden Rule* standards are served by the issuance of an anti-suit injunction. The court should issue an anti-suit injunction in this matter to protect the Court's jurisdiction over the dispute and in order to curtail a multiplicity of suits as well as to prevent vexatious and harassing litigation. The suit filed by Plaintiffs in Hidalgo County addresses the same dispute Defendants filed in New York.
- 9. Because the Hidalgo County lawsuit has been on file since May 2017, the lawsuit filed in Hidalgo County is the controlling lawsuit. If Defendants are allowed to proceed with the lawsuit filed in New York, the result will be a multiplicity of lawsuits seeking to resolve the same dispute; which could ultimately result in two conflicting rulings as to who the neutral umpire will be. Both the New York action and this action seek to have a neutral arbitrator appointed, but this action was filed more than one year earlier. Dominant jurisdiction to appoint the neutral arbitrator rests in this court.

APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

- 10. Plaintiffs' application for a temporary restraining order is authorized by Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code §65.011(2) and under the case law cited hereinabove. Plaintiffs are entitled to an anti-suit injunction against the Defendants to protect the court's jurisdiction, to prevent the evasion of important public policy, to prevent the continuation of a multiplicity of suits, and to protect Plaintiffs from vexatious and harassing litigation.
- 11. There is not enough time to serve notice on defendants and to hold a hearing on this application. Defendants' counsel are from Fort Worth and New York City. Thus, Plaintiffs are unable to notify them such that they can appear. Furthermore, there is a risk that Defendants will file their own anti-suit injunction in an attempt to

usurp this court's authority and jurisdiction if they are notified. See Tex. R. Civ. P. 680.

12. Plaintiffs ask the Court to enjoin Defendants along with their agents, successors, assigns, and related parties, from proceeding with the petition and to appoint an umpire arbitrator filed in New York that is referenced in Exhibit 2 and that they be enjoined in proceeding with the appointment of an arbitrator in any court except this court which has dominant jurisdiction as the first filed court. Plaintiffs seek an injunction requiring Defendants to cease and desist pursuing their petition to have an umpire arbitrator appointed by the New York court. Plaintiffs further request that Defendants be enjoined from filing any action, motion or petition to have an umpire appointed for the arbitration between Plaintiffs and Defendants.

13. For the foregoing reasons, Plaintiffs respectfully ask the Court to issue an anti-suit injunction to Defendants barring them from proceeding with their petition to appoint an arbitrator in New York or in any other court except this court. Plaintiffs also request that Defendants be enjoined from filing any action to prevent Plaintiffs from proceeding with a motion to appoint the umpire in this court.

APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY INJUNCTION

14. Plaintiffs ask the Court to set their application for temporary injunction for a hearing and, after the hearing, issue a temporary injunction against Defendants enjoining Defendants proceeding with their lawsuit attached and application (attached as Exhibit 2) to appoint an arbitrator in New York or in any other court except this court.

APPLICATION FOR PERMANENT INJUNCTION

15. Plaintiffs ask the Court to set their request for a permanent injunction for a full trial on the merits and, after the trial, issue a permanent injunction against defendants proceeding with their lawsuit attached and application (attached as Exhibit

2) to appoint an arbitrator in New York or in any other court except this court.

PRAYER

16. Plaintiffs request that this court enter a restraining order, a temporary injunction and permanent injunction enjoining Defendants from proceeding with the action in New York court to appoint an umpire arbitrator.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on August 3, 2018, a copy of **PLAINTIFFS' APPLICATION FOR ANTI-SUIT INJUNCTION** was filed using the eFileTexas.gov system, and Mr. Ferguson was served through this system by email.

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AGREED ORDER ON JOINT NOTICE OF REFERRAL TO ARBITRATION AND JOINT MOTION FOR STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

After considering Plaintiffs' and Defendants' Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration and Joint Motion for Stay of Proceedings, the Court:

RECOGNIZES and ACCEPTS the Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration; and

GRANTS the Joint Motion for Stay of Proceedings and ORDERS that this case be stayed pending the outcome of the arbitration, however, the court retains any rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act.

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AGREED AND ENTRY REQUESTED:

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By: /s/Carter L. Ferguson

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CAUTION: THIS DOCUMENT HAS NOT YET BEEN REVIEWED BY THE COUNTY CLERK. (See below.)

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF NEW YORK

CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S OF LONDON SUBSCRIBING TO POLICY OF INSURANCE NUMBER AMR-53478-01, INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA, UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE,

Index No.:

PETITION

Petitioners,

-against-

IBS WAREHOUSING LLC and CI LOGISTICS, LLC,

Respondents.

Petitioners CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S OF LONDON SUBSCRIBING TO POLICY OF INSURANCE NUMBER AMR-53478-01, INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA, UNITED INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, SPECIALTY PRINCETON **EXCESS** SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY AND INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE, "Petitioners"), by and through undersigned counsel, hereby files this Petition for an order to appoint an independent and impartial arbitral umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal pursuant to C.P.L.R. §§ 7051, 7502(a)(i), 7504, 7601 and 9 U.S.C. § 5 and states as follows:

Exhibit 2

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1. This Petition is submitted in support of the application which seeks an Order pursuant to CPLR § 7504 and 9 U.S.C. § 5 directing that an arbitral umpire be appointed through the ARIAS ranking method to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal with regard to a claim for property damage submitted by Respondents, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC ("IBS") and Cl LOGISTICS LLC ("Cl"), (collectively, "Respondents") under the Commercial Property Policy of Insurance issued by Petitioners to Respondents for the policy period of May 28, 2016 through May 28, 2017, and for such other an further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

2. A copy of the Policy is annexed hereto as Exhibit A.

THE PARTIES

- 3. CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON (hereinafter "Underwriters") are individual underwriting Syndicates, each with liability for its own proportionate share of the risk underwritten by them, and not jointly or one for the other, organized and existing under the laws of the United Kingdom with their principal place of business located in London, England.
- 4. INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Indian Harbor") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 70 Seaview Avenue, Stamford, Connecticut.
- 5. QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "QBE") is an insurance company with its principal place of business and North American Headquarters located at Wall Street Plaza, 88 Pine Street, New York, New York.
- 6. STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Steadfast") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois,

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- 7. GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA (hereinafter "General Security") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at One Seaport Plaza, 199 Water Street, New York, New York.
- 8. LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Lexington") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 100 Summer Street, Boston, Massachusetts.
- 9. UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "United Specialty") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 1900 L. Don Dodson Drive, Bedford, Texas.
- 10. PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Princeton") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 555 College Road East, Princeton, New Jersey.
- 11. INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE (hereinafter "Hanover") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located in Hannover, Germany.
- 12. Upon information and belief, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC is a Texas Limited Liability Company with its principal place of business located at 802 Trinity Street, Mission, Texas and a Registered Agent and Office at Joaquin Spamer, 809 Rio Grande Drive, Mission, Texas.
- 13. Upon information and belief, CI LOGISTICS LLC is a Texas Limited Liability Company with its principal place of business located at 802 Trinity Street, Mission, Texas.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

14. Jurisdiction in this court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7501, as the Policy terms state, in relevant part, that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration

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Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." Respondents have submitted to jurisdiction in New York. See Exhibit A.

- 15. Venue in this court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7502(a)(i) because the Policy terms state, in relevant part, that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." See Exhibit A.
- 16. Venue in this Court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7502(a)(i) because Petitioners are doing business in New York County.

FACTS

- 17. Petitioners issued a policy of insurance to Respondents which provided Commercial Property coverage for the property located at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas for the policy period of May 28, 2016 through May 28, 2017 subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions and limitations contained in the Policy. A copy of the Policy is annexed hereto as Exhibit A.
- 18. On June 1, 2016, Respondents submitted a Property Loss Notice for an alleged loss that occurred on May 31, 2016 at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas, which was described as "roof damage due to high winds".
- 19. Petitioners retained Pacesetter to inspect the loss. Petitioners also retained Rimkus Consulting Group Inc. to provide engineering services and to determine the extent of the roof damage, if any, caused by the May 31, 2016 storm.
- 20. Based on the Rimkus engineer's report and conclusions regarding which portions of the roof were damaged as a result of the storm and which portions exhibited signs of normal age-related deterioration, the Pacesetter adjuster prepared a repair estimate for the storm related damage in the total amount of \$23,867.18.

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- 21. On September 22, 2016, Petitioners denied any obligation to make payment to Respondents because the covered damages did not exceed the Policy's \$50,000 wind/hail deductible.
- 22. Several months later, on or about May 4, 2017, Respondents sent demand letters to Petitioners seeking payment in the amount of \$2,105,624.88 allegedly due to the May 31, 2016 storm.
- 23. Thereafter, on or about May 24, 2017, Respondents commenced an action in the District Court for Hidalgo County, Texas against Petitioners seeking \$2,105.624.88 in damages.
- 24. On July 5, 2017, counsel for the Petitioners sent a letter to counsel for the Respondents invoking the Policy's Arbitration Clause.
- 25. The Parties ultimately agreed to submit this matter to Arbitration pursuant to the Arbitration Clause in the Policy, Consequently, the Texas Lawsuit was stayed. A copy of the August 2, 2017 Order referring this matter to Arbitration is annexed hereto as Exhibit B.
 - 26. The Policy's Arbitration Clause states, in pertinent part:
 - C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

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Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matter which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

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- 27. On or about August 9, 2017, the Petitioners appointed Dale S. Frediani as their Arbitrator.
- 28. Prior to September 5, 2017, the Respondents appointed Michael Krismer as their Arbitrator.
- 29. By letter dated October 27, 2017, Petitioners objected to the appointment of Mr. Krismer on the basis that he was not "employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims" as required by the Policy and reserves their right to raise this objection at the conclusion of the Arbitration Proceeding.
- 30. Thereafter, the Parties' Arbitrators attempted to agree on a course of action to move the Arbitration Proceeding forward.
- 31. Respondents would not agree to an Arbitration Protocol and, instead, suggested that the Arbitrators schedule a visit to the Insured property.

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32. Mr. Frediani attempted to contact Mr. Krismer to discuss scheduling a visit as well as selecting an umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal on December 7, 2017, December 13, 2017, January 22, 2018, March 2, 2018, March 20, 2018 and April 12, 2018.

- 33. Other than one voicemail in January 2018, Mr. Krismer did not respond to Mr. Frediani's calls and emails.
- 34. On May 2, 2018, Respondents' counsel ultimately advised that Mr. Krismer wished to withdraw from his appointment as Arbitrator.
 - 35. Mr. Krismer formally withdrew as arbitrator effective June 14, 2018.
- 36. On June 15, 2018, Respondents' counsel advised that Dan Stouffer would now serve as the Respondents' Arbitrator.
- 37. In the three weeks since Mr. Souffer's appointment, the Parties' Arbitrators have still been unable to select an umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal.
- 38. Almost a full year as clapsed since Petitioners invoked the Policy's Arbitration Claus and this matter was referred to Arbitration and Parties' Arbitrators have yet to agree on an arbitral umpire or a course of action for the Arbitration Proceeding.
- 39. Accordingly, Petitioners respectfully request that the Court issue an Order directing the parties appoint an arbitral umpire by employing the ranking method prescribed by ARIAS-US or a similar ranking method. Under the ranking method, each side names five nominees; each side selects three of the other side's nominees (i.e., strikes two); both sides rank the six finalists in order of preference; and the candidate with the best cumulative ranking becomes the umpire in light of being the closest thing to a consensus candidate. A copy of the ARIAS ranking method is annexed hereto as **Exhibit C** (www.arias-us.org).
 - 40. This petition is timely.

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41. No prior application for the relief requested herein has been made.

WHEREFORE, Petitioners request that this Court issued an Order pursuant to C.P.I..R. § 7504 and 9 U.S.C. § 5 directing that a competent and impartial person employed in the insurance industry be appointed through the ARIAS ranking method to serve as an arbitral umpire and the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal in accordance with the policy terms, and such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York July 20, 2018

FLEISCHNER POTASH LLP

By:

Jared T. Greisman, Esq.

Attorneys for Petitioners,

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INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL

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CAUSE NO. C-2066-17-H

IBS WAREHOUSING LLC AND CI LOGISTICS, LLC	8	IN THE DISTRICT COURT
VS.	<i>\$\to\$ \to\$ \to\$ \to\$ \to\$ \to\$ \to\$ \to\$</i>	
UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S	§	
LONDON doing business as	§	
CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT	§	•
LLOYD'S, LONDON; INDIAN	§	
HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY;	§	
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COMPANY; GENERAL SECURITY	§	
INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA;	§	
UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE	§	
COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE	§	
COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS	§	
AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE	· §	
COMPANY; AND INTERNATIONAL	§	
INSURANCE COMPANY OF	§	
HANOVER SE	§	HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS

VERIFICATION OF LANCE A. KIRBY

STATE OF TEXAS §
HIDALGO COUNTY §

Before me, the undersigned notary, on this day personally appeared Lance A. Kirby, the affiant, whose identity is known to me. After I administered an oath, affiant testified as follows:

"My name is Lance A. Kirby. I am capable of making this verification because I have gained knowledge of the facts asserted in Plaintiffs' Application for a Temporary Restraining Order, Temporary Injunction and Permanent Injunction by virtue of representing Plaintiffs in this case. The facts stated in the Application are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct. I am not verifying the legal argument portions of the Application."

Lance A

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Lance A. Kirby on August Z., 2018.

LETISIA RODRIGUEZ
Notary Public, State of Texas
Comm. Expires 09-17-2020
Notary ID 6137539

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

CAUSE NO. C-2066-17H

IBS WAREHOUSING LLC AND	§	IN THE DISTRICT COURT
CI LOGISTICS, LLC	§	
	§	
Plaintiff,	§	
VS.	§	
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UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON	§	
doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS	§	
AT LLOYD'S LONDON; INDIAN HARBOR	§	
INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY	§	HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS
INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST	§	
INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL	§	
SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF	§	
ARIZONA; UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE	§	
COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE	§	
COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND	§	
SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY;	§	
and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE	§	
COMPANY OF HANOVER SE	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	

<u>DEFENDANTS' RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS'</u> APPLICATION FOR ANTI-SUIT INJUNCTION

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT

COMES NOW, Defendants, UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON; INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE, (collectively, the "Insurers"), and files this, their Response to Plaintiffs, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC and CI

LOGISTICS LLC ("Plaintiffs") Application for Anti-Suit Injunction and in support would show the Court as follows:

I. SUMMARY OF ARGUMENT

The instant New York arbitration pertains to Plaintiffs' insurance claim for hail damage to their property located in McAllen, Texas. On September 28, 2016, the Insurers denied the claim because the covered damages did not exceed the Policy's Wind/Hail Deductible. Because of the clear and unambiguous language in the Policy's Arbitration provision which states that "All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies ... be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal" and "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance", the matter was ultimately referred to arbitration pursuant to the terms of the Policy's arbitration provision and the lawsuit was stayed.

Having erroneously filed suit in Texas, Plaintiffs now incredulously claim that the Texas Courts have primary jurisdiction over the matters in dispute in this arbitration and request an antisuit injunction prohibiting the Insurers from engaging in any proceeding in the New York Courts pertaining to this arbitration. However, Plaintiff cannot be permitted to alter the clear and unambiguous terms of the Parties' arbitration agreement by erroneously filing suit in Hidalgo County, Texas. This Court has ordered arbitration to take place in accordance with the terms of the Parties' agreement as set forth in the insurance policy and that agreement provides for the arbitration to take place with its seat in New York, which means New York courts have the jurisdiction over any disputes that may arise pertaining to the arbitration. Indeed, the Texas Courts consistently enforce such choice of law and choice of venue clauses in arbitration agreements. Under these circumstances, an anti-suit injunction prohibiting the Insurers from proceeding with an action in the New York Courts pertaining to this arbitration in order to "safeguard" the so-called

jurisdiction of the Texas Court is wholly inappropriate and Plaintiffs request for an anti-suit injunction must be denied.

II. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Insurers issued a policy of insurance to Plaintiffs which provided Commercial Property coverage for the property located at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas for the policy period of May 28, 2016 through May 28, 2017 subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions and limitations contained in the Policy. A copy of the policy is annexed hereto as **Exhibit A**.

On June 1, 2016, Plaintiffs submitted a Property Loss Notice for an alleged loss that occurred on May 31, 2016 at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas, which was described as "roof damage due to high winds". The Insurers retained an adjuster and engineer who conducted an investigation and determined that, while some portions of the roof were damaged as a result of the storm, many portions exhibited signs of normal age-related deterioration. Accordingly, on September 22, 2016, the Insurers denied any obligation to make payment to Plaintiffs because the covered damages did not exceed the Policy's \$50,000 wind/hail deductible.

Several months later, Plaintiffs sent demand letters to the Insurers seeking payment in the amount of \$2,105,624.88 allegedly due to the May 31, 2016 storm. Thereafter, on or about May 24, 2017, Plaintiffs commenced an action in the District Court for Hidalgo County, Texas against the Insurers seeking \$2,105,624.88 in damages. The Insurers invoked the Policy's Arbitration Clause and the Parties ultimately agreed to submit this matter to Arbitration pursuant to the Arbitration Clause in the Policy. Consequently, the Texas Lawsuit was stayed. A copy of the August 2, 2017 Order referring this matter to Arbitration is annexed hereto as **Exhibit B**.

The Policy's Arbitration Clause provides that both choice of law and choice of forum shall be New York as follows:

C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matters which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

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Pursuant to the terms of the arbitration clause, on July 20, 2018, the Insurers filed a Petition in the Supreme Court, New York County seeking an Order directing the Parties appoint an arbitral umpire who is a competent and impartial person employed or engaged in a senior position in insurance underwriting or claims as required by the Policy's Arbitration Clause by employing the ranking method prescribed by ARIAS-US or a similar ranking method. The Petition was served on Plaintiffs in Texas on July 31, 2018. A copy of the Petition and supporting document is annexed hereto as **Exhibit C**. The petition does not request that the New York court appoint a specific person, rather it seeks an order from the court directing the appointed arbitrators select an umpire using the ARIAS-US or similar ranking method.

In an effort to circumvent the New York proceeding, and the clear and unambiguous seat of the arbitration, Plaintiffs filed this motion on August 3, 2018.

III. ARGUMENTS AND AUTHORITIES

A. Texas Courts do not have jurisdiction over this New York Arbitration

In contravention of the terms of the insurance policy which require that all matters pertaining to this insurance be referred to Arbitration, Plaintiffs initially filed suit against the Insurers in Hidalgo County alleging breach of contract for the Insurers alleged failure to pay Plaintiffs' claim for hail damage to their property. The Insurers timely requested that the matter be referred to arbitration and the Parties submitted a joint motion for referral to arbitration and for a stay of the proceedings in the Hidalgo County action. By Order, dated August 4, 2017, the Hidalgo County Court recognized and accepted the joint notice of referral to arbitration and granted the motion to stay the proceedings, and retained "any rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act." Respectfully, the Hidalgo County Court does not have jurisdiction over matters pertaining to this arbitration under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act.

The Policy's Arbitration Clause provides that the "seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York" and that "the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." United States Courts recognize that the "arbitral seat" is "the jurisdiction designated by the parties or by an entity empowered to do so on their behalf to be the juridical home of the arbitration." *CBF Indústria de Gusa S/A v. AMCI Holdings, Inc.*, 846 F.3d 35, 48 (2d Cir. 2017) (quoting Restatement (Third) of the U.S. Law of Int'l Commercial Arbitration §1-1 (s), (aa) (Am. Law Inst., Tentative Draft No. 2, 2012). An arbitral proceeding is ordinarily governed by the arbitration law of the jurisdiction in which it is seated, and the resulting award is deemed made in that jurisdiction. *See* Restatement (Third) of the U.S. Law of Int'l Commercial Arbitration §1-1 (aa). Indeed, in most countries, the "seat" of the arbitration serves a dual role as both the juridical seat and the geographic seat. *See* Comparative Law of International Arbitration 2.2 (2nd ed). Under the United Nations Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards (the "New York Convention")¹, an agreement specifying the place of the arbitration creates a presumption that the procedural law of that place applies to the arbitration.

Further, under the New York Convention, "the country in which, or under the [arbitration] law of which, [an] award was made' is said to have *primary* jurisdiction over the arbitration award.

All other signatory States are *secondary* jurisdictions, in which parties can only contest whether

A matter, including this one which includes U.K. based insurers "falls under the Convention" when it (1) involves an agreement in writing to arbitrate a dispute; (2) arises out of a commercial legal relationship; (3) provides for arbitration in the territory of a Convention signatory; and (4) involves a least one non-American citizen or concerns property located abroad, involves performance or enforcement abroad, or has a reasonable relationship with a foreign state. See 9 U.S.C. § 202; Sedco, Inc. v. Petroleos Mexicanos Mexican Nat'l Oil Co., 767 F.2d 1140, 1144-1145 (5th Cir.1985). The determination of whether the agreement "fall[s] under the Convention" will ordinarily prove quick and easy, without requiring too much merits-like investigation by the district court. Beiser v. Weyler, 284 F.3d 665, 672, FN7 (5th Cir.2002).

The Federal Arbitration Act (FAA) governs the enforcement, validity, and interpretation of arbitration clauses in commercial contracts both in state and federal courts. *Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital v. Mercury Construction Corp.*, 460 U.S. 1, 24-25, 103 S.Ct. 927, 941-42, 74 L.Ed.2d 765 (1983). Chapter 2 of the FAA, 9 U.S.C. §§ 201-208, which implements the New York Convention and controls arbitration disputes in the international context.

that State should enforce the arbitral award." *Karaha Bodas Co. v. Negara*, 335 F.3d 357, 364 (5th Cir. 2003) (quoting New York Convention art. V(1)(e)). Similarly, here, because New York is the seat of the arbitration and New York law applies to the arbitration and the insurance policy, New York Courts have primary jurisdiction over any disputes that arise during the arbitration process and over the enforceability of any arbitration award.

Texas Courts consistently enforce similar choice of law and choice of venue clauses in arbitration agreements. *See Dupuy-Busching General Agency, Inc. v. Ambassador Ins. Co.*, 524 F.2d 1275 (5th Cir. 1975) (affirming an order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi directing the parties to proceed with arbitration in North Bergen, New Jersey, in accordance with the terms of a contract into which they had entered.); *Century Satellite, Inc. v. Echostar Satellite, L.L.C.*, 395 F. Supp. 2d 487 (S.D. Tex. 2005) (compelling Plaintiff to proceed to arbitration on its claims against Defendants in Denver, Colorado, in accord with the arbitration provisions of the Incentivized Retailer Agreement and Authorized Retailer Agreement and staying all further proceedings pending the outcome of the arbitration).

Although 9 U.S.C. § 4 of the Federal Arbitration Act provides that arbitral proceeding "shall be within the district in which the petition for an order directing such arbitration is filed," the Fifth Circuit has permitted courts to compel arbitration in another district when justified by the terms of the parties' agreement. See TML Multistate Intergovt'l Emple. Benefits Pool v. Healthedge Software, Inc., 2018 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 114057 (W.D. Tex. 2018) (citing Dupuy, 524 F.2d at 1277-78). In Dupuy, the Court explained that where a party seeking to avoid arbitration brings suit outside the district where the arbitration is to take place under the contract, the party seeking arbitration may assert is Section 4 right to have the arbitration agreement performed in accordance with the terms of the agreement. 524 F.2d at 1277-78.

Plaintiff cannot be permitted to alter the clear and unambiguous terms of the Parties' arbitration agreement by erroneously filing suit in Hidalgo County, Texas instead of submitting a request to arbitration to the Insurers. This Court has ordered arbitration to take place in accordance with the terms of the Parties' agreement as set forth in the insurance policy and that agreement provides for the arbitration to take place with New York as its seat, which means New York courts have jurisdiction over any disputes that may arise pertaining to the arbitration. Therefore, Plaintiffs request for an anti-suit injunction prohibiting any actions or proceedings in New York must be denied.

B. The fact that Texas courts have personal jurisdiction over the parties is irrelevant.

Plaintiffs motion papers focus entirely on the general premise that when a Texas Court has subject matter jurisdiction and personal jurisdiction over the parties and the dispute it may issue an anti-suit injunction to protect its jurisdiction. However, as set forth above, Plaintiffs completely ignore the relevant terms of the insurance policy that form the basis of this dispute, which dictate that the arbitration shall be venued in New York and that New York Courts shall have jurisdiction over the arbitration proceeding. As such, it is irrelevant that the Texas Courts would otherwise have had jurisdiction over the Parties' dispute in the absence of the Parties' contractual agreement that the arbitration will be seated in New York.

Instead, pursuant to the arbitration clause in the insurance policy, the New York Courts have primary jurisdiction over the parties and the dispute that is the subject of this arbitration. When a party agrees to arbitrate in a particular state, via explicit or implicit consent, the district courts of the agreed-upon state may exercise personal jurisdiction over the parties for matters related to arbitration, such as a suit to compel arbitration or confirm an arbitration award. See e.g., Guam Indus. Servs. v. Dresser-Rand Co., 514 S.W.3d 828, 836 (Tex. App. 2017).

It is well settled that arbitration forum selection clauses confer personal jurisdiction by consent. *See e.g., Reliant Pro Rehab, LLC v. Atkins*, 2016 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 163865, at *10-11 (N.D. Tex. Nov. 28, 2016) (citing M/S Bremen v. Zapata Off-Shore Co., 407 U.S. 1, 15, 92 S. Ct. 1907, 32 L. Ed. 2d 513 (1972) (A litigant may consent to personal jurisdiction through a forum selection clause contained in a contract). *See also Stolt Tankers BV v. Allianz Seguros, S.A.*, 2011 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 67755, at *4 (S.D.N.Y. June 16, 2011) (citing *American Bureau of Shipping v. Tencara Shipyard S.P.A.*, 170 F.3d 349, 352 (2d Cir. 1999)). Accordingly, the New York courts have personal jurisdiction over parties that agree to arbitrate their disputes in New York, including the Plaintiffs herein.

C. <u>Plaintiffs are not entitled to a temporary restraining order, temporary injunction or permanent injunction.</u>

For the reasons set forth above, this arbitration is to be venued in New York, New York Courts have jurisdiction over the arbitration proceeding, and the Insurers properly and first filed their motion in New York for appointment of an arbitral umpire. Accordingly, Plaintiffs are not entitled to a temporary restraining order, a temporary injunction or a permanent injunction prohibiting the Insurers from proceeding with their Petition for appointment of an umpire or any other issues in connection with this arbitration before the New York Courts.

IV. CONCLUSION

The Insurers respectfully request that the Court deny Plaintiffs' Application for an Anti-Suit Injunction in its entirety and direct the parties to proceed with the arbitration and appoint an third Arbitrator to serve as a neutral Umpire and such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ J. Andrew Norman

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ATTORNEYS FOR **DEFENDANTS** THOSE CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON SUBSCRIBING SEVERALLY TO **CERTIFICATE** AMR-53478-01, NUMBER **INDIAN** HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, **INSURANCE QBE SPECIALTY** COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY **COMPANY** OF ARIZONA, UNITED **SPECIALTY** INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, PRINCETON **EXCESS** AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE **COMPANY** POLICY. AND INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE **COMPANY OF HANNOVER**

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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was forwarded to all known counsel of record in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure via electronic filing and service.

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TEXAS SURPLUS LINES CLAUSE

This insurance contract is with an Insurer not licensed to transact insurance in this state and is issued and delivered as surplus line coverage under the Texas insurance statutes. The Texas Department of Insurance does not audit the finances or review the solvency of the surplus lines Insurer providing this coverage, and the Insurer is not a member of the Property and Casualty Insurance Guaranty Association created under Chapter 462, Insurance Code, Chapter 225, Insurance Code, requires payment of a 4.85% tax on gross premium.

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The Correspondent and/or Program Manager is not an Insurer hereunder and neither CERTCO 09 15

is nor shall be liable for any loss or claim whatsoever.

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NAMED INSURED Account No. 395497 IBS Warehousing LLC

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(The Attaching Clause needs to be completed only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

ENDORSEMENT 1

This endorsement, effective on 05/28/2016 , at 12:01 A.M. standard time, forms a part of: Account No. 395497 Certain Underwriters at Lloyds, London Certificate No. AMR-53478-01 Indian Harbor Insurance Company Policy No. AMP7528648-01 QBE Specialty Insurance Company Policy No. MSP-20595-01 Steadfast Insurance Company Policy No. CPP1009669-01 General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona Policy No. 10T029659-05172-16-01 United Specialty Insurance Company Policy No. USI-16248-01 Lexington Insurance Company LEX-084299846-01 Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company 7DA3CM0004963-01 International Insurance Company of Hannover SE HAN-15141-01

Issued to: IBS Warehousing LLC

By: See Contract Allocation Endorsement AR CA

Authorized Representative

- 1. Replacement Cost Valuation shall apply as regards to Real Property; Except roof coverings to be Actual Cash Value if originally installed or last fully replaced prior to 2004.
- 2. Coverage explicitly excludes all flooding, including but not limited to flooding during windstorm events.
- 3. Coverage excludes all damage directly or indirectly caused by any Named Storm in existence upon AmRisc receipt of written request to bind.
- 4. All Buildings with outstanding damage are excluded. Contact Underwriter if waiver needed.
- 5. Any additional premium or return premium under \$500 shall be waived.
- 6. Warrant fire protection sprinklers are provided throughout all buildings, as noted in AmRisc Application Statement of Values.
- 7. Warrant no losses in the last 5 years on properties to be covered unless specified in AmRisc Application Statement of Values.

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CONTRACT ALLOCATION ENDORSEMENT

This insurance is effected with certain insurance underwriters (hereinafter called the "Underwriters"). The following words shall be deemed to be synonymous: "Underwriters", "Insurers" and "Company".

The liability of each Underwriter on this contract with the Insured is limited to the participation amount shown in the schedule below. The liability of each separate contract listed and for each Underwriter represented thereby for any loss or losses or amounts payable is several as to each and shall not exceed its participation percentage shown below and there is no joint liability of any Underwriters pursuant to this contract. An Underwriter shall not have its liability hereunder increased or decreased by reason of failure or delay of another Underwriter, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives. Any loss otherwise payable under the provisions of the attached policy that exceeds the allocation of "Risk" as defined herein shall be bourne proportionately by the contracts as to their limit of liability at the time and place of the loss bears to the total allocated limits herein.

This contract shall be constructed as a separate contract between the Insured and each of the Underwriters. This evidence of coverage consists of separate sections of a composite insurance for all Underwriter's at Lloyd's combined and separate policies issued by the insurance company(ies), all as identified below. This evidence of coverage does not constitute in any manner or form a joint certificate of coverage by Underwriter's at Lloyd's with any other insurance company(ies).

In witness whereof, the following Underwriters execute and attest these presents, and subscribe for the amount of insurance provided.

The security is as noted below.

LAYER OF PARTIC	CIPATION	PERILS (AS PER POLICY)	CONTRACT#	COMPANY CODE	POLICY # / CERTIFICATE #	PARTICIPATION	rate
\$100,000 excess of	Deductibles	СҮВ	QBE16	QBE	MSP-20595-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	GSI16	GSI	10T029659-05172-16-01	es a	
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\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	XLA16-Tech	IndianH	AMP7528648-01		
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\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	NW	B123016AMR1139	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	NW	B123016AMR252	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
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\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	LEX16	LEX	LEX-084299846-01		
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ALLOCATION OF LIABILITY:

The contracts herein cover mutually exclusive perils. The maximum limit of liability is not to exceed the per occurrence participation stated herein, regardless of whether multiple perils and multiple contracts are involved. Recognition of liability by either of the contracts reduces the limit of liability of any corresponding contract.

The liability otherwise determined to exist under the terms and conditions of this policy shall be bourne by the contract covering the proximate cause of loss identified in the allocation of security. Any loss covered by the policy by a peril not allocated to a contract herein shall be bourne by the contract covering the most comprehensive perils, generally in accordance with the ISO Special Causes of Loss Contracts. The liability of the policy shall not be increased or decreased by any condition of the allocation to specific contracts on this endorsement.

Covered perils shall be defined by the applicable forms attached to this policy or otherwise as per the industry standard definition.

SYMBOLS USED HEREIN: CAUSE OF LOSS	SYMBOL	CODE	COMPANY
Basic	BA	Lloyds	Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London
Broad Special	BR SP	Indian H	Indian Harbor Insurance Company
All Risk excl F/Q	AR	QBE	QBE Specialty Insurance Company
Difference in Conditions Windstorm and Hail	DIC WH	Steadfast	Steadfast Insurance Company
Named Windstorm	NW	GSI	General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona
All Other Windstorm Named Storm Flood	AOW NF	USI	United Specialty Insurance Company
Flood	F	LEX	Lexington Insurance Company
All Other Flood Earthquake	AOF Q	Peslic	Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company
Tria Coverages	T	HAN	International Insurance Company of Hannover
Certified Terrorism as Defined by TRIA, if available Non-Certified Terrorism Equipment Breakdown Excluding Including Cyber and Data Compromise	T1 T2 EBD EXCL INCL CYB		

"Risk" as per contract terms, shall be defined as follows:

Risk

Basis of Limits

Flood and Earthquake Named Windstorm Wind and Hail EXCL NW All Other Perils EXCL F, Q T1 and T2 Any One Occurrence and Aggregate

Maximum "Risk" is defined as

Any One Occurrence

This schedule forms a part of the original Account #

<u>395497</u>

by

Authorized Signature

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CERTAIN UNDERWRITER'S AT LLOYD'S, LONDON - Syndicate List

If Certain Underwriter's at Lloyd's, London are listed as security on the Contract Allocation Endorsement attached to the policy, the list of syndicates is shown below:

A coount #1 395497

Account #:	395497		
Certificate #;	AMR-53478-01		
	Syndicate Number	Syndicate Abbreviation	
	510	KLN	
	33	HIS	
	1886	QBP	
	510	KLN	
	2003	SJC	
	2987	BRT	
	4444	CNP	
	1980	ISN	
	2010	MMX	
	382	HDU	
	5000	SPL	
	2007	NVA	
	2121	ARG	
	780	ADV	
	2007	NVA	
	2014	ACA	
	1200	AMA	
	2015	CHN	
	2623	BEA	
	1225	AES	
	2015	CHN	
	2987	BRT	
	727	SAM	
	780	ADV	
	1183	TAL	
	1861	ANV	
	5820	JCD	
	1969	APL	
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COMMERCIAL PROPERTY COMPASS FORM

In consideration of the premium charged, this policy covers for direct physical loss of or damage to the Covered Property caused by a covered Cause of Loss occurring during the policy period. Coverage shall be subject to the terms, conditions, definitions, exclusions, limitations and provisions contained herein.

SECTION I - COVERAGES AND LIMITS OF LIABILITY

Terms which appear in boldface type have special meaning. See Section VIII. POLICY DEFINITIONS.

- A. NAMED INSURED: First Named Insured (as shown in the Declarations) and/or its affiliated and subsidiary companies and/or corporations as now exist or may hereafter be constituted or acquired including their interests as may appear in partnerships or joint ventures which the Insured is responsible or legally obligated to insure.
- B. LOSS PAYEE(S), LENDER'S LOSS PAYEE(S), MORTGAGEE(S), AND ADDITIONAL INSURED(S): Per Certificates of Insurance (or similar document, list or schedule) on file with AmRisc. Any Certificates of Insurance issued in connection with this Policy shall be issued solely as a matter of convenience or information (and do not alter or amend coverage) for the addressee(s) or holders(s) of said Certificates of Insurance, except where any Loss Payee(s), Lender's Loss Payee(s), Mortgagee(s), or Additional Insured(s) are named pursuant to the Special Provisions of said Certificate of Insurance. In the event any Loss Payee(s), Lender's Loss Payee(s), Mortgagee(s), or Additional Insured(s) are so named by contract, this Policy shall be deemed to have endorsed accordingly, subject to all other terms, conditions and exclusions stated herein, and provided the Certificate of Insurance is issued prior to a loss. Such endorsement adding any Loss Payee(s), Lender's Loss Payee(s), Mortgagee(s), or Additional Insured(s) will be deemed attached to the policy and the Insured will pay any required premium.
- C. COVERAGE TERRITORY: Coverage under this Policy applies to Occurrences within the United States of America and Canada.
- D. LIMIT OF LIABILITY ("Policy Limit"): The total maximum liability for all insurance companies and Lloyd's of London, London England (all hereinafter, the "Companies" as shown on the Policy Declarations and Contract Allocation Endorsement pages) in any one **Occurrence** as a result of all covered loss or damage regardless of the number of **Locations**, coverages, or perils insured under this Policy shall not exceed the lesser of: 1. (a, b, or c; as indicated by an 'X'); OR 2.:
 - 1. a. As respects each Location insured by this Policy: % of the total combined stated values for all categories of Covered Property and Time Element exposures shown for that Location on the latest Statement of Values or other documentation on file with AmRisc;
 - b. X
 As respects each item (e.g. Building, Personal Property, Time Element), insured by this Policy: 100.00 % of the total stated value shown for that item on the latest Statement of Values or other documentation on file with AmRisc;

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c. ___ As respects each Location Insured by this Policy: _______% of the total combined stated values for all categories of Covered Property shown for that Location; and separately, ________% of the total combined stated values for Time Element shown for that Location; all on the latest Statement of Values or other documentation on file with AmRisc;

<u>or</u>

2. \$ 11.800,000

maximum limit of liability.

E. SUBLIMITS OF LIABILITY: Sublimits of Liability stated below are included within and not in addition to the Limit of Liability shown in Paragraph D., above. These Sublimits of Liability and the specified limits of liability contained in the forms, endorsements and extensions attached, if any, are per **Occurrence**, unless otherwise indicated.

If the words "NOT COVERED" are shown, instead of a limit, sublimit amount or number of days, or if a specified amount or number of days is not shown corresponding to any coverage or Covered Cause of Loss, then no coverage is provided for that coverage or Covered Cause of Loss.

1. Earth Movement:

\$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate, for all insured Locations, combined; however, further subject to:

further subject to:

a. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate for all Earth Movement in California, Alaska and

Hawali, combined.

b. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate for Pacific Northwest States, combined.

c. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate for New Madrid Earthquake Zone Counties,

combined.

2. Flood:

\$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate, for all insured **Locations**, combined; however, further subject to:

a. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate as respects Flood for all Locations combined, wholly or partially within Special Flood Hazard Areas.

3. Named Storm:

\$ N/A

Regardless of the number of Coverages, **Locations** or Perils involved including, but not limited to, wind, wind gusts, tornados, cyclones, hall, or rain, all arising out of a **Named Storm**, the maximum amount the Companies will pay per **Occurrence** as respects all covered loss or damage.

In the event a loss involves more than one of the above perils (E.1. - E.3.) and provided it is a covered peril(s), each peril's sublimit above shall be considered a separate sublimit apart from the other peril's sublimits above.

However, the Sublimits below (E.4. - E.35.) shall be considered sublimits within the above applicable covered peril sublimits (E.1. - E.3.).

4. Accounts Receivable:

\$1,000,000

5. Builder's Risks;

\$250,000 Property in the Course of Construction or renovation; excluding Soft Costs.

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6. Builder's Risk Soft Costs:

7. Civil or Military Authority: 30 Days, but in no event will the Companies pay more than

\$1,000,000.

\$25,000

8. Contingent Time Element: 60 Days or \$500,000; whichever is less.

 Debris Removal: The Companies' total liability for Debris Removal per Occurrence for all insured Locations sustaining covered direct physical loss or damage payable under this Policy shall not exceed the lesser of:

 a. 25% of the amount of covered physical loss or damage to covered Property (excluding Time Element), payable for all insured Locations; or

b. \$5,000,000.

10. Electronic Data and Media: \$100,000

11. Errors and Omissions: \$25,000; subject to all other sublimits contained herein.

12. Extended Period of Indemnity: 180 Days

13. Extra Expense/Expediting Expense: \$NOT COVERED

14. Fine Arts: \$250,000

15. Fire Brigade Charges: \$100,000

16. Fungus, Molds, Mildew, Spores, Yeast: \$15,000 Annual Aggregate

17. Ingress/Egress Coverage; 30 Days; but in no event will the Companies pay

more than \$100,000.

18. Leased or Rented Equipment: \$100,000; but not to exceed:

\$100,000; but not to exceed: \$25,000 any one item.

19. Leasehold Interest: \$100,000

20. Limited Pollution Coverage: \$100,000 Annual Aggregate

21. Lock Replacement: \$25,000

22. Miscellaneous Unnamed Locations: \$100,000; subject to all other sublimits contained herein.

23. Newly Acquired Property: 60 Days but in no event will the Companies pay

more than \$1,000,000, subject to all other sublimits contained herein,

24. Ordinance or Law:

a. Coverage A: Included in Building Limit.

b. Coverage B: 20% of the scheduled Building value, not to exceed \$1,000,000.

c. Coverage C: Included with Coverage B.

d. Coverage D: Included in the Time Element (if covered).

25. Ordinary Payroll: 30 Days (provided values are included in the reported Time

Element Values).

26. Plants, lawns, trees or shrubs: \$100,000

Any one plant, lawn, tree or shrub: \$25,000

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27. Professional Fees:

per occurrence and annual aggregate for all \$100,000

claims combined.

28. Reclaiming, restoring or repairing land improvements: \$10,000

29. Reward Reimbursement:

\$25,000

30. Royalties:

\$25,000

31, Service Interruption:

however, a qualifying period of 72 hours \$100,000:

applies to this coverage (if Time Element is covered).

32. Spoilage:

33. Time Element Monthly Limitation: 1/12 Monthly; applicable to all Time Element coverages, except

those that have a sublimit in this Paragraph E.

34. Transit:

\$100,000

35. Valuable Papers and Records:

\$1,000,000

- MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE: In the event of a Covered Cause of Loss hereunder, total liability of the Companies shall be limited to the least of the following:
 - 1. The actual adjusted amount of loss, less applicable deductible(s), or
 - The limit of liability or applicable sublimit of liability shown in this Policy or endorsed hereon.
- G. DEDUCTIBLE: Each claim for loss or damage under this Policy shall be subject to a per Occurrence deductible amount of:

1) \$ 5,000

Property Damage & Time Element, combined; OR

2)\$ N/A Property Damage; and

\$ N/A

Time Element.

unless a specific deductible shown below applies for the indicated peril(s).

1. Flood:

а.\$ N/A Per Occurrence, except as follows in Subparagraph G.1.b.;

b. As respects Locations wholly or partially within Special Flood Hazard Areas:

Maximum available limits with National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), whether purchased or not; plus \$ N/A per Occurrence.

2. Earth Movement:

a. \$ N/A Per Occurrence, except as follows in Subparagraph G.2.b., G.2.c. or G.2.d.;

- N/A % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss or damage, subject to a minimum of any one Occurrence, as respects Locations in California, Hawaii and Alaska; N/A
- N/A % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss or damage, subject to a minimum of any one Occurrence, as respects Locations in the Pacific Northwest States; \$ N/A

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d. N/A % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss or damage, subject to a minimum of \$ N/A any one Occurrence, as respects Locations in the New Madrid Earthquake Zone Counties.

3. Windstorm or Hail:

a. \$ 50,000

Per Occurrence; OR

\$ N/A

Per Occurrence, Per Location;

except as follows in Subparagraphs G.3.b. or G.3.c.:

b. 1.0 % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss arising out of a Named Storm, subject to a minimum deductible of \$ 50,000 any one Occurrence; as respects Locations in:

All Locations, as per Statement of Values on file with AmRisc.

c. N/A % of the TIV at each Building involved in the loss arising out of a Named Storm, subject to a minimum deductible of \$ N/A any one Occurrence; as respects Locations in: N/A.

The following two paragraphs apply to Subparagraphs G.1. through G.3., inclusive:

In each case of loss or damage covered by this Policy, the Companies shall not be liable unless the Insured sustains loss or damage in a single **Occurrence** greater than any applicable deductible described herein and then, if this is a quota share Policy, only for each Companies' share in excess of such deductible. When this Policy covers more than one **Location**, the deductible shall apply against the total loss or damage covered by this Policy in any one **Occurrence**, unless otherwise stated in this Paragraph G

If two or more peril deductible amounts provided in this Policy apply to a single **Occurrence**, the total to be deducted shall not exceed the largest deductible applicable, unless otherwise stated in this Policy. However, if a Time Element deductible and another deductible apply to a single occurrence, then the Companies shall apply both deductibles to the Occurrence.

SECTION II - COVERED CAUSES OF LOSS

- A. COVERED CAUSES OF LOSS: This Policy insures against all risks of direct physical loss or damage to Covered Property, except as excluded.
- B. EXCLUSIONS: The Companies do not insure for loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by any of the following. Such loss or damage is excluded regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any sequence to the loss or damage. These exclusions apply whether or not the loss event results in widespread damage or affects a substantial area:
 - 1. NUCLEAR, BIOLOGICAL, CHEMICAL AND RADIOLOGICAL EXCLUSIONS
 - a. The Companies will not pay for any loss, damage, cost or expense, whether real or alleged, that is caused, results from, is exacerbated by or otherwise impacted by, either directly or indirectly, any of the following:
 - Nuclear Hazard including, but not limited to, nuclear reaction, nuclear detonation, nuclear radiation, radioactive contamination and all agents, materials, products or substances, whether engineered or naturally occurring, involved therein or released thereby;

- Biological Hazard including, but not limited to, any biological and/or poisonous or pathogenic agent, material, product or substance, whether engineered or naturally occurring, that induces or is capable of inducing physical distress, illness, or disease;
- Chemical Hazard including, but not limited to, any chemical agent, material, product or substance;
- Radioactive Hazard including, but not limited to, any electromagnetic, optical, or ionizing radiation or energy, including all generators and emitters thereof, whether engineered or naturally occurring.
- b. The provisions of subparagraphs a.2) and a.3) will not apply where the agent, material, product or substance at issue is utilized in the course of business by an Insured.
- c. Only if and to the extent required by state law, the following exception to the exclusions in Paragraph a. applies:

If a hazard excluded under Paragraph a, results in Fire (and provided Fire is a Covered Peril), the Companies will pay for the loss, damage, cost or expense caused by that Fire, subject to all applicable policy provisions including the Limit of Insurance on the affected Covered Property. Such coverage for Fire applies only to direct loss or damage by Fire to Covered Property. This coverage does not apply to insurance provided under Time Element, including but not limited to, Business Income, Rental Value or Extra Expense coverage or endorsements that apply to those coverages.

- 2. a. War, hostile or warlike action in time of peace or war, whether or not declared, including action in hindering, combating, or defending against an actual, impending, or expected attack:
 - By any government or sovereign power (de jure or de facto) or by any authority maintaining or using military, naval, or air forces; or
 - ii. By military, naval, or air forces; or
 - lii. By an agent of any such government, power, authority, or force;
 - b. Any weapon of war employing atomic fission or radioactive force, whether in time of peace or war, whether or not its discharge was accidental; or
 - Insurrection, rebellion, revolution, civil war, usurped power, or action taken by governmental authority in hindering combating, or defending against such Occurrence, seizure or destruction;

Including any consequence of Subparagraphs 2.a., 2.b., or 2.c. above.

3. Any fraudulent or dishonest act or acts, intended to result in financial gain, committed alone or in collusion with others: by any proprietor, partner, director, trustee, officer or employee of the Insured (including leased employees), or by any party to whom the property may have been entrusted (other than a carrier for hire).

However, a willful act of destruction by an employee of the Insured (including leased employees), or others listed above without the knowledge of the Insured is covered.

4. Asbestos

a) The Companies will not pay for loss, damage or remediation expenses caused by or resulting from the presence of asbestos or asbestos-containing materials. As used in this exclusion, remediation expenses are expenses incurred for or in connection with the investigation, monitoring, removal, disposal, treatment, abatement or neutralization of asbestos or asbestos-containing materials to the extent required by federal, state or local laws, regulations or statutes or any subsequent amendments thereof to address asbestos.

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b) However, this Asbestos exclusion does not apply to the extent that coverage is provided under the following:

This policy insures asbestos located within an insured **Building** or structure, and then only that part of the asbestos which has been physically damaged during the policy period by one of these Listed Perils:

FIRE; SMOKE; EXPLOSION; LIGHTNING; WINDSTORM; HAIL; DIRECT IMPACT OF VEHICLE, AIRCRAFT OR VESSEL; RIOT OR CIVIL COMMOTION; VANDALISM OR MALICIOUS MISCHIEF; ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF FIRE PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

This coverage is subject to all limitations in the policy and, in addition, to each of the following specific limitations:

- a. The said Building or structure must be insured under this policy for damage by this Listed Peril.
- b. The Listed Peril must be the immediate, sole cause of the damage to the asbestos.
- c. The Insured must report to the Companies the existence and cost of the damage as soon as practicable after the Listed Peril first damaged the asbestos. However, this policy does not insure any such damage first reported to the Companies more than 12 (twelve) months after the expiration, or termination, of the policy period.
- d. Insurance under this policy in respect of asbestos shall not include any sum relating to:
 - (1) any faults in the design, manufacture or installation of the aspestos;
 - (2) asbestos not physically damaged by a Listed Peril including any governmental or regulatory authority direction or request of whatsoever nature relating to undamaged asbestos.
- Pollution/Contamination Exclusion NMA 2340 11/24/1988 (USA date) - amended

Seepage And/Or Pollution And/Or Contamination Exclusion

This Policy does not insure:

- (a) any loss, damage, cost or expense, or
- (b) any increase in insured loss, damage, cost or expense, or
- (c) any loss, damage, cost, expense, fine or penalty, which is incurred, sustained or imposed by order, direction, instruction or request of, or by any agreement with, any court, government agency or any public, civil or military authority, or threat thereof, (and whether or not as a result of public or private litigation), which arises from any kind of seepage or any kind of pollution and/or contamination, or threat thereof, whether or not caused by or resulting from a peril insured, or from steps or measures taken in connection with the avoidance, prevention, abatement, mitigation, remediation, clean-up or removal of such seepage or pollution and/or contamination or threat thereof.

The term "any kind of seepage or any kind of pollution and/or contamination" as used in this clause includes (but is not limited to):

(a) seepage of, or pollution and/or contamination by, anything, including but not limited to, any material designated as a "hazardous substance" by the United States Environmental Protection Agency or as a "hazardous material" by the United States Department of Transportation, or

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defined as a "toxic substance" by the Canadian Environmental Protection Act for the purposes of Part II of that Act, or any substance designated or defined as toxic, dangerous, hazardous or deleterious to persons or the environment under any other Federal, State, Provincial, Municipal or other law, ordinance or regulation; and

- (b) the presence, existence, or release of anything which endangers or threatens to endanger the health, safety or welfare of persons or the environment.
- 6. Delay, loss of market, or loss of use.
- 7. Indirect, remote, or consequential loss or damage.
- Mysterious disappearance or loss or shortage disclosed on taking inventory or any unexplained loss.
- 9. Voluntary parting with title or possession of any property, including voluntary parting which is the result of any fraudulent scheme, trick, devise, false pretenses, or any other similar act.
- 10. Faulty workmanship, material, construction, installation, or design from any cause; or faulty planning, zoning, development, surveying or siting; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy ensues, in which event, this Policy will cover only such resulting damage.
- 11. Loss attributable to manufacturing or processing operations which result in damage to stock or materials while such stock or materials are being processed, manufactured, tested or otherwise being worked upon; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy shall cover only such resulting damage.
- 12. Deterioration, depletion, rust, corrosion, erosion, wet or dry rot, decay, evaporation, leakage, wear and tear, animal, insect or vermin damage, inherent vice or latent defect, shrinkage or change in color, flavor, texture or finish, extremes or changes of temperature damage or changes in relative humidity damage, all whether atmospheric or not; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy shall cover only such resulting damage.
- 13. Settling, cracking, shrinking, bulging, or expansion of pavements, foundations, walls, floors, or ceilings; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy will cover only such resulting damage.
- 14. Lack of incoming electricity, fuel, water, gas, steam, refrigerant, or outgoing sewerage, or incoming or outgoing data or telecommunications, all of which are caused by an **Occurrence** away from the **Location**(s) insured under this Policy, unless specifically provided herein and only to the extent provided herein.
- 15. Costs, expenses, fines or penalties incurred or sustained by or imposed on the Insured at the order of any government agency, court or other authority arising from any cause whatsoever.
- 16, Electronic Data Exclusion
 - a. This policy does not insure loss, damage, destruction, distortion, erasure, corruption, alteration, loss of use, reduction in functionality, cost, or expense resulting from "Computer Virus".
 - "Computer Virus" means a set of corrupting, harmful or otherwise unauthorized instructions or code including a set of maliciously introduced unauthorized instructions or code, programmatic or otherwise, that propagate themselves through a computer system or network of whatsoever nature. "Computer Virus" includes, but is not limited to, "Trojan Horses," "worms" and "time or logic bombs".
 - However, In the event that a Defined Cause of Loss results from any of the matters described in paragraph a above, this Policy, subject to all its terms, conditions and

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exclusions, will cover physical damage occurring during the policy period to property insured by this Policy directly caused by such **Defined Cause of Loss**.

 Electronic Date Recognition Exclusion (EDRE) NMA 2802 12/17/1997 (USA Date) - amended

This policy does not cover any loss, damage, cost, claim or expense, whether preventative, remedial or otherwise, directly or indirectly arising out of or relating to:

- a. the calculations, comparison, differentiation, sequencing or processing of data involving the date change to the year 2000, or any other date change, including leap year calculations, by any computer system, hardware, program or software and/or any microchip, integrated circuit or similar device in computer equipment or non-computer equipment, whether the property of the insured or not; or
- b. any change, alteration or modification involving the date change to the year 2000, or any other date change, including leap year calculations, to any such computer system, hardware, program or software and/or any microchlp, integrated circuit or similar device in computer equipment or non-computer equipment, whether the property of the Insured or not.

This clause applies regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to the loss, damage, cost, claim or expense.

18. Loss or damage in the form of, caused by, arising out of, contributed to, or resulting from Fungus, Mold(s), Mildew, Spores or Yeast; or any spores or toxins created or produced by or emanating from such Fungus, Mold(s), Mildew, Spores or Yeast.

However, this exclusion shall not apply provided the Insured establishes that the fungus, mold(s), mildew, spores or yeast is a direct result of a covered loss from a **Defined Cause of Loss** or **Flood** (provided **Flood** is a covered peril) and provided this loss is reported to the Companies within twelve (12) months from the expiration date of the policy. The Companies' liability shall then be limited to the sublimit stated under Section I.E.16.

- 19. Loss or damage caused by hydrostatic, pneumatic or gas pressure test of any boiler or pressure vessel, or an electrical insulation breakdown test of any type of electrical equipment, unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy will cover only such resulting damage.
- 20. Loss or damage arising out of:
 - a. Building or any part of a building that is in danger of falling down or caving in,
 - b. Any part of a building that has separated from another part of the building, or
 - c. A **building** or any part of a **building** that is standing which shows evidence of cracking, bulging, sagging, bending, leaning, settling, shrinkage or expansion.

However, the Companies do cover loss or damage arising out of Collapse.

- Loss or damage caused by Equipment Breakdown to vehicles (or any equipment on vehicles), draglines, cranes, excavation or construction equipment.
- 22. Terrorism Exclusion NMA 2920; 10/8/01 (USA Date) - amended

This policy excludes loss, damage, cost or expense of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any act of terrorism regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the loss.

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For the purpose of this exclusion, an "act of terrorism" means an act, including but not limited to the use of force or violence and/or the threat thereof, of any person or group(s) of persons, whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organization(s) or government(s), committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public, or any section of the public, in fear.

This clause also excludes loss, damage, cost or expense of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any action taken in controlling, preventing, suppressing or in any way relating to any act of terrorism.

If the Companies allege that by reason of this exclusion, any loss, damage, cost or expense is not covered by this insurance, the burden of proving the contrary shall be upon the Insured.

In the event any portion of this exclusion is found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder shall remain in full force and effect.

- 23. Exclusion Of Loss Due To Virus Or Bacteria (AR 01 40 07 amended)
 - a. The exclusion set forth in subparagraph b. below, applies to all coverage under all forms and endorsements that comprise this Policy, including but not limited to forms or endorsements that cover property damage to **buildings** or personal property and forms or endorsements that cover business income extra expense or action of civil authority.
 - b. The Companies will not pay for loss or damage caused by or resulting from any virus, bacterium or other microorganism that induces or is capable of inducing physical distress, illness or disease.

However, this exclusion does not apply to loss or damage caused by or resulting from fungus, mold(s), mildew, spores or yeast. Such loss or damage is addressed in a separate exclusion in this Policy.

- c. With respect to any loss or damage subject to the exclusion in subparagraph b. above, such exclusion supersedes any exclusion relating to pollutants or contaminants.
- d. The terms of the exclusion in subparagraph b. above, or the inapplicability of this exclusion to a particular loss, do not serve to create coverage for any loss that would otherwise be excluded by this Policy.
- 24. Water under the ground surface pressing on, or flowing or seeping through:
 - a. Foundations, walls, floors or paved surfaces;
 - b. Basements, whether paved or not;
 - c. Doors, windows or other openings.
- 25. Rain, snow, ice or sleet to personal property in the open.
- 26. Loss or damage by rain, snow, or dust, whether driven by wind or not, to the interior of any **building** or structure, or the property inside the **building** or structure, unless the **building** or structure first sustains wind or hail damage to its roof or walls through which the rain, snow, sand or dust enters.
- 27. Seizure or destruction of property by order of governmental authority. However, coverage is provided for loss or damage caused by or resulting from acts of destruction ordered by governmental authority and taken at the time of a fire to prevent its spread, if the fire is a Covered Cause of Loss.

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- 28. Equipment Breakdown (see Definitions).
- 29. Hot Testing; which means:
 - a. Commissioning or performance testing;
 - b. Any testing involving the introduction of flammable or explosive feedstock beginning when such feedstock is first introduced; or
 - The rotational operation of any turbine or generator, except for rotational operation by turning gear only when the turbine or generator is not energized.

Hot Testing does not mean the commissioning or performance testing of:

- a. Heating;
- b. Cooling;
- c. Air handling; or
- d. Electrical,

systems that are part of construction works.

- 30. Loss, damage, cost, or expense covered under any express or implied guarantee or warranty from a manufacturer or supplier, whether or not such manufacturer or supplier is an Insured under this policy.
- 31. Named Storm Restriction: This policy shall exclude all damage directly or indirectly caused by a Named Storm that is in existence at the time that written request to bind is given to AmRisc, until coverage for such Named Storm has been bound by written agreement between AmRisc and the First Named Insured. In addition, no increase in limits or additional coverages will be provided for any insured Location(s) threatened by such Named Storm, until coverage for such Named Storm has been bound by written agreement between AmRisc and the First Named Insured.

SECTION III - COVERED PROPERTY

- A. COVERED PROPERTY: Unless otherwise excluded, this Policy covers the following property while on the described Locations and within 1,000 feet thereof:
 - 1. Real property, including new **buildings** and additions under construction or renovation at an insured **Location**, Personal property and Equipment in which the Insured has an Insurable interest;
 - 2. Improvements and betterments to **buildings** or structures in which the Insured has an insurable interest, Such Improvements and Betterments shall be considered Real property.
 - 3. At the option of the Insured, Personal property, other than motor vehicles, of officers and employees of the Insured;
 - Personal property of others, other than motor vehicles, in the care, custody and control of the Insured, which the Insured is under obligation to keep insured for physical loss or damage of the type insured against by this Policy;

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- 5. Contractor's and vendor's interests in property covered to the extent of the Insured's liability imposed by law or assumed by written contract prior to the date of direct physical loss or damage. However, such interests will not extend to any Time Element coverage provided by this Policy.
- 6. Real and Personal Property and related Time Element Loss at Miscellaneous Unnamed Location(s) owned by the Insured or for which the Insured is legally responsible for, and within the Coverage Territory of the policy. This shall also include Personal Property of the Insured while temporarily at Miscellaneous Unnamed Location(s), including Property on Exhibitions and Salesman's Samples.
- B. PROPERTY EXCLUDED: This Policy does not insure against loss or damage to:
 - Currency, money, notes, securities, stamps, furs, jewelry, precious metals, precious stones, and semi-precious stones. This exclusion does not apply to precious metals and precious stones used by the Insured for industrial purposes;
 - 2. Alr, Land, land values, and any substance in or on Land, or any alteration to the natural condition of the Land. However, this exclusion does not apply to the cost of reclaiming, restoring or repairing land improvements, provided the loss is from a Defined Cause of Loss;
 - 3. Water, except water which is normally contained within any type of tank, piping system or other process equipment;
 - Standing timber, growing crops, plants, lawns, trees, shrubs or animals. However, this exclusion
 does not apply to plants, lawns, trees or shrubs, provided the loss is from a Defined Cause of
 Loss:
 - 5. Pavements, paved surfaces, walkways, drainage systems or roadways;
 - 6. Vehicles licensed for highway use, watercraft, aircraft and railroad rolling stock;
 - Property sold by the Insured under conditional sale, trust agreement, installment plan or other deferred payment plan after delivery to customers;
 - 8. Property in transit, except expressly as provided elsewhere in this Policy;
 - Underground mines or mining shafts and any related mining property and equipment while underground; or underground pipes, flues or drains; or any property below the lowest basement floor;
 - 10. Offshore oil rigs, platforms and property contained therein or thereon;
 - 11. Satellites and spacecraft;
 - 12. Dams, dikes, levees, bridges, tunnels, reservoirs, flood retaining walls and canals; except when scheduled as such on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc;
 - 13. Docks, piers and wharves; except when scheduled as such on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc:
 - 14. Transmission and distribution lines, including support structures, of every type and description; except when located on the insured premises or within one-thousand (1000) feet thereof;
 - 15. Personal property in the care, custody, and control of the Insured when the Insured is acting as a ballee, a warehouseman, or a carrier for hire;
 - 16. Contraband, or property in the course of illegal transportation or trade.
 - 17. Property of Unit Owners within individual Condominium units, consisting of:
 - a. Personal property and improvements & Betterments; and

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b. Floor coverings, wall coverings and ceiling coverings which only serve that unit.

However, this exclusion shall not apply to:

- c. Appliances; refrigerators; air conditioning equipment (including air conditioning compressors); heating equipment; cooking ranges; dishwashers; clothes washers/dryers; and fixtures, installations or permanent additions initially installed in accordance with the original plans and specifications; all contained within the units; or
- d. Any property within the individual unit (including the property excluded in a. and b., above) that the Condominium Association Agreement requires be covered by the Condominium Association.

SECTION IV - VALUATION

Except as otherwise provided in this Paragraph, adjustment of loss or damage under this Policy shall be valued at the cost to repair or replace (whichever is less) at the time and place of the loss with materials of like kind and quality, without deduction for depreciation and obsolescence. The Insured may elect to rebuild on another site, provided that, such rebuilding does not increase the amount of loss or damage that would otherwise be payable to rebuild at the same site. However, if the property is not repaired, rebuilt or replaced as soon as reasonably possible after the loss or damage, the value of the property will be determined on an Actual Cash Value basis. In the event the Insured elects to have the loss or damage settled on an Actual Cash Value basis, the Insured may still make a claim on a replacement cost basis, provided the Insured notifies the Companies within 180 days after the loss or damage.

Unless otherwise endorsed hereon, the property, as described below, will be valued as follows:

- A. Stock in process: the cost of raw materials and labor expended, plus the proper proportion of overhead charges.
- B. Finished goods manufactured by the Insured: the regular cash selling price at the location where the loss occurs, less all discounts and charges to which the merchandise would have been subject had no loss occurred
- C. Raw materials, supplies and other merchandise not manufactured by the Insured: the replacement cost.
- D. Valuable Papers and Records: the cost to replace or restore the property with like kind and quality including the cost to research, gather and assemble information. If not replaced, the Companies will only pay the blank value of the valuable papers or records.
- E. Electronic Data and Media: the cost of the blank media, plus the costs of copying the Electronic Data and Media from back-up or from originals of a previous generation. These costs will not include research and engineering nor any costs of recreating, gathering or assembling such Electronic Data and Media. If the Electronic Data and Media is not repaired, replaced or restored, the basis of valuation shall be the cost of the blank media. However, this Policy does not insure any amount pertaining to the value of such Electronic Data and Media to the Insured or any other party, even if such Electronic Data and Media cannot be recreated, gathered or assembled.
- F. Jigs and fixtures, dies, small tools, patterns, employees' personal property and personal property of third parties: the replacement cost if replacement cost values have been reported to the Companies and if actually replaced; otherwise the **Actual Cash Value**, but not to exceed the cost to repair or replace the property with material of like kind and quality.
- G. Leasehold improvements and betterments:
 - If repaired or replaced at the expense of the Insured within two (2) years after the date of the loss, the cost to repair or replace the damaged improvements and betterments.

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2. If not repaired or replaced within two (2) years after the date of the loss, a proportion of the Insured's original cost.

The Companies will determine the proportionate value as follows:

- a. Multiply the original cost by the number of days from the loss or damage to the expiration of the lease; and
- b. Divide the amount determined in Subparagraph a. above by the number of days from the installation of improvements to the expiration of the lease.

If the Insured's lease contains a renewal option, the expiration of the renewal option period will replace the expiration of the lease in this procedure; or

3. Nothing, if others pay for repairs or replacement.

H. Fine Arts:

- 1. If there is no Agreed Value Schedule on file with AmRisc, then the lesser of:
 - a. The cost to repair or replace the fine art, or
 - b. The appraised value, which will be determined as of the time of the loss.
- If there is an Agreed Value Schedule on file with AmRisc, then the Agreed Value Schedule on file with AmRisc.
- 3. If a Fine Arts article is part of a pair or set, and a physically damaged article cannot be replaced, or cannot be repaired or restored to the condition that existed immediately prior to the loss, the Companies will be liable for the lesser of the full value of such pair or set or the Agreed Value, as per the schedule on File with AmRisc. The Insured will surrender the pair or set to the Companies.
- 1. Accounts Receivable: the amount owed the Insured which the Insured is unable to collect from customers, and shall include:
 - 1. Any collection expenses over and above the normal collection costs;
 - 2. Interest charges on any loan to offset impaired collections pending repayment of such sums that cannot be collected; and
 - Other reasonable and necessary expenses incurred by the Insured to recreate Accounts Receivable Records.

Unearned interest and service charges on deferred payment accounts and normal credit losses on bad debts shall be deducted in determining the recovery hereunder.

After payment of loss by the Companies, all amounts recovered by the Insured on Accounts Receivable for which the Insured has been paid will belong to and will be paid to the Companies by the Insured up to the total amount of loss paid by these Companies. All recoveries in excess of such amounts will belong to the Insured.

In the event it is possible to reconstruct the Insured's Accounts Receivable Records after they have been physically lost or damaged, so that no shortage in collection of Accounts Receivable is sustained, the Companies shall only be liable for the costs of the material and the time required to reconstruct such records, with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch, but only to the extent that such amounts are not covered by any other insurance.

J. Property for Sale: If, at the time of the loss, any real property is being offered for sale, the loss or damage to such property will be valued at the lesser of:

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- 1. The cost to repair or replace the damaged property, or
- 2. The price at which the property is offered for sale less the market value of the Land,
- K. Property in Transit: In case of loss, the basis of adjustment shall be:
 - 1. Property shipped to or for the account of the Insured: the actual invoice to the Insured, together with such costs and charges as may have accrued and become legally due on such property;
 - Property which has been sold by the Insured and has been shipped to or for account of the purchaser (if covered hereunder): the amount of the Insured's selling invoice, including prepaid or advanced freight;
 - Property of others not under invoice: the actual market value at the point of destination on the date of the Occurrence, less any charges saved which would have become due and payable upon delivery at destination; or
 - 4. Property of the Insured not under invoice: valued in accordance with the valuation provisions of this Policy applying at the location from which such property is being transported, less any charges saved which would have become due and payable upon delivery at such destination.
- L. Contractor's equipment and vehicles (if covered): Actual Cash Value, unless an agreed value applies.
- M. Catalyst: Actual Cash Value.
- N. For all other property: At replacement cost if actually replaced; otherwise, the **Actual Cash Value**, but not to exceed the cost to repair or replace the property with material of like kind and quality.

With respect to Subparagraphs A. through N., inclusive, unless otherwise specifically stated, the Companies will compute the valuations at the time and place of the loss.

SECTION V - TIME ELEMENT COVERAGE GROSS EARNINGS

This Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained by the Insured during the Period of Interruption directly resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss to Covered Property.

- A. ACTUAL LOSS SUSTAINED: In the event the Insured is prevented from producing goods or from continuing its business operations or services and is unable:
 - 1. To make up lost production within a reasonable period of time (not to be limited to the period during which production is interrupted), or
 - 2. To continue business operations or services,

all through the use of any property or service owned or controlled by the Insured, or obtainable from other sources, whether the property or service is at an insured Location or through working extra time or overtime at any other substitute location(s), including any other location(s) acquired for the purpose, then the Companies shall be liable, subject to all other conditions of this Policy not inconsistent herewith, for the actual loss sustained of the following during the Period of Interruption:

- GROSS EARNINGS less all charges and expenses which do not necessarily continue during the interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services. For the purpose of this coverage, GROSS EARNINGS means;
 - a. For manufacturing operations: The net sales value of production less the cost of all raw stock, materials and supplies utilized in such production; or

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- For mercantile or non-manufacturing operations: The total net sales less cost of merchandise sold, materials and supplies consumed in the operations or services rendered by the Insured;
- c. Plus all other earnings derived from the operation of the business.

In determining net sales, in the event of loss hereunder, for mercantile or non-manufacturing operations, any amount recovered under Property Damage policies for loss or damage to or destruction of merchandise shall be included as though the merchandise had been sold to the Insured's regular customers.

In determining the amount of loss payable under this coverage, due consideration shall be given to the experience of the business before the Period of Interruption and the probable experience thereafter had no loss occurred, and to the continuation of only those normal charges and expenses that would have existed had no interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services occurred.

There is no coverage for any portion of the Insured's Ordinary Payroll expense, unless a specified number of days for Ordinary Payroll are shown in Section I.E.25 and values have been included in the reported Time Element Values. In such case, the Companies will pay Ordinary Payroll for that number of days only. The number of days need not be consecutive, but must fall within the interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services, or fall within the extension of that period, if an extension is provided. Ordinary Payroll means the entire payroll expense for all employees of the Insured except officers, executives, department managers, employees under contract, and other essential employees.

- 2. EXPENSE TO REDUCE LOSS: Expenses, over and above normal operating expenses, necessarily incurred by the Insured in making up lost production or in reducing loss otherwise payable under this coverage are covered hereunder, but in no event shall these Companies be liable for an amount greater than that for which it would have been liable had the Insured been unable to make up any lost production or to continue any business operations or services.
- B. PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION: In determining the amount payable under this coverage, the Period of Interruption shall be:
 - The period from the time of physical loss or damage insured against by this Policy to the time when, with the exercise of due dlligence and dispatch, either:
 - a. normal operations resume; or
 - physically damaged buildings and equipment could be repaired or replaced and made ready for operations under the same or equivalent physical and operating conditions that existed prior to such loss or damage,

whichever is less. Such period of time shall not be cut short by the expiration or earlier termination date of the Policy.

- In addition, if applicable, such time as may be required with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch:
 - a. To restore stock in process to the same state of manufacture in which it stood at the time of the initial interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services; or
 - b. To replace physically damaged or destroyed mercantile stock necessary to resume operations;
 - c. To replace raw materials and supplies in order to continue operations.

However, the inability to procure destroyed mercantile stock or suitable raw materials and supplies to replace similar stock or materials and supplies physically damaged or destroyed shall not increase the Period of Interruption.

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3. For Property under construction: The time period between the anticipated date of substantial completion had no covered loss occurred and the actual date of completion. In calculating the amount of loss, due consideration will be given to the actual experience of the business compiled after substantial completion and start-up.

The Period of Interruption does not include any additional time:

- a. Required for re-staffing or re-training employees; or
- b. Due to the Insured's inability to resume operations for reasons other than those enumerated in B.2.a. through B.2.c., inclusive, above; or
- c. Required for making change(s) to the buildings, structures, or equipment for any reason except as provided in the Ordinance or Law coverage, if such coverage is provided by this Policy.

C. ADDITIONAL TIME ELEMENT COVERAGES

- EXTRA EXPENSE/EXPEDITING EXPENSE: This Policy is extended to cover the loss sustained by the Insured for Extra Expense during the Period of Interruption resulting from direct physical loss or damage from a Covered Cause of Loss to Covered Property utilized by the Insured. Extra Expense means:
 - a. The reasonable and necessary extra expense incurred to temporarily continue as nearly normal as practicable the conduct of the Insured's business; and
 - b. The reasonable and necessary extra costs of temporarily using property or facilities of the Insured or others.
 - c. The reasonable extra costs (expediting expenses) for temporary repair of damaged property and for expediting the permanent repair or replacement of such damaged property. This includes overtime wages and extra costs of express or other rapid means of transportation. This does not include expenses recoverable elsewhere under this policy.

The Insured agrees to use any suitable property or service owned or controlled by the Insured or obtainable from other sources in reducing the Business Income and Extra Expense incurred under this Policy.

2. RENTAL VALUE: As respects Covered Property held for rental to others, this Policy is extended to cover the loss sustained during the Period of Interruption but not exceeding the reduction in Rental Value less charges and expenses which do not necessarily continue.

Rental Value means the sum of:

- a. The total anticipated gross rental income from tenant occupancy of the described property as furnished and equipped by the Insured including taxes, rent based on percentage of sales, and other charges paid by tenants in respect of the leased premises; and
- b. The amount of all charges which, by the terms of a written lease, are the legal obligation of the tenant(s) and which would otherwise be obligations of the Insured; and
- c. The fair rental value of any portion of such property which is occupied by the Insured,

Due consideration will be given to the historic rental expenses prior to the loss and the probable expenses thereafter.

3. ROYALTIES: This Policy is extended to cover loss of income sustained by the Insured under a royalty, Ilcensing fee, or commission agreement between the Insured and another party during the Period of Interruption arising out of direct physical loss or damage by a Covered Cause of Loss during the term of this Policy to real or personal property of such other party, only if such Royalties are shown as such on the Statement of Values. When determining the amount payable,

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the Companies will consider the amount of income derived by the Insured from such agreements before, and the probable amount of income after, the date of loss or damage.

4. SOFT COSTS (BUILDER'S RISK): For Property under Construction, this Policy is extended to cover Soft Costs incurred by the Insured during the Period of Interruption (described in Paragraph B. above). Such Soft Costs must be the result of direct damage from a Covered Cause of Loss.

The Companies will pay reasonable and necessary Soft Costs over and above those costs which would have been incurred by the Insured during the Period of Interruption had no loss occurred. Soft Costs means:

- a. The amount of actual interim or construction financing interest, including loan fees and other one time charges incurred to negotiate a new construction loan and/or extend the existing one;
- b. Realty taxes and ground rent if any;
- Advertising and promotional expenses;
- d. Cost of additional commissions;
- Architects, surveyors, legal, consulting engineers, accounting, licenses, permits, or other fees
 not otherwise covered by this Policy;
- f. Project administration expense, but not including development fees;
- g. Insurance premiums;
- h. Founder's fee refunds; and
- I. Net Business Income or Net Rental Income.
- CONTINGENT TIME ELEMENT: If direct physical loss or damage to the real or personal property
 of a direct supplier or direct customer of the Insured is damaged by a Covered Cause of Loss under
 this Policy, and such damage;
 - a. wholly or partially prevents any direct supplier to the Insured from supplying their goods and/or services to the Insured; or
 - b. wholly or partially prevents any direct customer of the Insured from accepting the Insured's goods and/or services;

then this Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained by the Insured during the Period of Interruption with respect to such real or personal property. The property of the supplier or customer which sustains loss or damage must be of the type of property which would be Covered Property under this Policy.

This coverage applies to the Insured's direct suppliers or direct customers located in the Coverage Territory.

- 6. INTERRUPTION BY CIVIL OR MILITARY AUTHORITY: This Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained during the period of time when access to the insured's covered Location is prohibited by an order of civil or military authority, provided that, such order is a direct result of a Covered Cause of Loss to real property not insured hereunder. The insured physical loss or damage must occur within five (5) statute miles from the insured's covered Location in order for coverage to apply. Such period of time begins with the effective date of the order of civil or military authority and ends when the order expires, but no later than the number of days shown in Section I.E.7.
- 7. INGRESS & EGRESS: This Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained during the period of time when ingress to or egress from the Insured's covered Location is prohibited as a direct result

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of a Covered Cause of Loss to real property not insured hereunder. The insured physical loss or damage must occur within five (5) statute miles from the Insured's covered **Location** in order for coverage to apply. Such period of time begins on the date that ingress to or egress from real or personal property is prohibited and ends when ingress or egress is no longer prohibited, but no later than the number of days shown in Section I.E.17.

- 8. EXTENDED PERIOD OF INDEMNITY: Coverage is provided for such additional length of time as is required to restore the Insured's business to the condition that would have existed had no loss occurred, commencing with the later of the following dates:
 - a. the date on which the liability of the Companies for loss or damage would otherwise terminate;
 or
 - b. the earliest date on which either normal operations resume, or repair, replacement, or rebuilding of the property that has been damaged is actually completed; but in no event for a period of time exceeding the number of days specified in Section I.E.12. starting with later of a. or b. above. This Extended Period of Indemnity does not apply to any Additional Time Element Coverages, except RENTAL VALUE (Par. 2 above).

This additional coverage does not include coverage for any increase in loss due to fines or damages for breach of contract or for late or non-completion of orders, or penalties of any nature.

With respect to Additional Time Element Coverages 6. & 7., if a Covered Cause of Loss results in coverage under both Additional Time Element Coverages, the Companies will only pay for loss under one of the two Additional Time Element Coverages, whichever the First Named Insured selects.

- D. ADDITIONAL EXCLUSIONS: Section V Time Element Coverage does not cover:
 - 1. IDLE PERIODS Any loss during any period in which goods would not have been produced, or business operations or services would not have been maintained, for any reason other than physical loss or damage from a Covered Cause of Loss to which this coverage applies.
 - 2. REMOTE LOSS -
 - Any increase in loss due to the suspension, cancellation, or lapse of any lease, contract, license or order; or
 - b. Any loss due to fines or damages for breach of contract or for late or non-completion of orders or penalties of whatever nature; or
 - c. Any increase in loss due to interference at the Insured's premises by strikers or other persons with rebuilding, repairing, or replacing the property damaged or destroyed, or with the resumption or continuation of business, or with the re-occupancy of the premises.

Nor shall the Companies be liable for any other consequential or remote loss, other than as specifically provided in this Section V.

- 3. FINISHED PRODUCTS Any loss resulting from loss or damage to finished products manufactured by the Insured nor for the time required for their reproduction.
- 4. TRANSIT Any loss resulting from loss or damage to property in transit.
- 5. BERTH AND/OR PORT BLOCKAGE Any loss due to Blockage of a port or berth. Blockage means a blockage of any part of the port or berth arising from an occurrence which results in the sinking or stranding of a ship, or the inability of a ship to gain access to a berth.
- E. TIME ELEMENT MONTHLY LIMITATION OF INDEMNITY: The Companies shall not be liable for more than the Monthly Limitation of Indemnity shown in Section I.E.33. This Monthly Limitation Of Indemnity shall apply to all Time Element coverages, except those that have a sublimit in Section I.E. Time

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Element Monthly Limitation means the most the Companies will pay monthly for a Time Element loss sustained by the Insured during the Period of Interruption directly resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss to Covered Property. This Monthly Limitation of Indemnity is payable for each period of 30 consecutive days after the beginning of the Period of Interruption and is calculated by multiplying the scheduled Time Element value by the fraction shown in Section I.E.33.

SECTION VI - ADDITIONAL COVERAGES

The following additional coverages are subject to the terms and conditions of this Policy, including the deductibles and sublimits of liability corresponding to each such additional coverage shown in Section I. These sublimits are part of, and not in addition to sublimits and limits of liability of this Policy, including, but not Ilmited to, the **Earth Movement**, **Flood**, or **Named Storm** Sublimits of Liability provided herein, if applicable.

A. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE: This Policy covers any shortage in the collection of Accounts Receivable directly resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss to Accounts Receivable Records,

This extension of coverage does not apply to loss due to:

- 1. Bookkeeping, accounting or billing errors and omissions; and
- Alteration, falsification, manipulation, concealment, destruction, or disposal of Accounts Receivable
 Records committed to conceal the wrongful giving, taking, obtaining or withholding of money,
 securities or other property, but only to the extent of such wrongful giving, taking, obtaining or
 withholding.
- B. DEBRIS REMOVAL: This Policy covers the necessary and reasonable expense of removal from the insured Locations of debris of Covered Property or property of others remaining as a result of direct physical loss or damage insured against under this Policy that occurs during the policy period when the Insured gives written notice of such direct physical loss or damage to the Companies, but no later than 180 days after the loss. There is no liability for the expense of removing contaminated or polluted uninsured property, nor the Pollutants or Contaminants therein or thereon, whether or not the contamination results from an insured event.
- C. ELECTRONIC DATA AND MEDIA: This Policy is extended to cover direct physical loss or damage to **Electronic Data and Media.**
- D. ERRORS OR OMISSIONS: This Policy is extended to cover direct physical loss or damage at Locations within the Coverage Territory that are owned, leased or operated by the Insured, if such loss or damage is not payable under this Policy solely due to:
 - 1. Any error or unintentional omission in the description of the address of the property whether made at the inception of the policy period or subsequent thereto; or
 - 2. Failure through any error or unintentional omission to:
 - a. Include any Location of the Insured at the Inception of the Policy; or
 - b. Report any newly acquired location before the period of automatic coverage provided under this Policy for Newly Acquired Location(s) expires.

With respect to Subparagraphs 1. and 2. above, this Errors or Omissions Additional Coverage does not allow the insured or its representative to correct any value shown in the Statement of Values.

This Policy covers such direct physical loss or damage, to the extent it would have provided coverage had such error or unintentional omission not been made.

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It is a condition of this additional coverage that any error or unintentional omission be reported by the Insured to the Companies when discovered and an additional premium be paid, as determined by the Companies.

There is no coverage under this Paragraph for loss or damage which is covered under Newly Acquired Property or Miscellaneous Unnamed Locations provisions of this Policy.

- E. FINE ARTS: This Policy is extended to cover direct physical loss or damage to fine arts. However, no coverage is provided for:
 - Breakage, marring, scratching, chipping or denting of art, glass, windows, statuary, sculptures, marble, glassware, porcelain, bric-a-brac, antique furniture, antique Jewelry or similar fragile articles, unless such breakage, marring, scratching, chipping or denting is caused by a **Defined** Cause of Loss; or
 - 2. Physical loss or damage as a result of restoring, repairing or retouching processes,
- F. FIRE BRIGADE CHARGES AND EXTINGUISHING EXPENSES: This Policy covers the following expenses resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss:
 - 1. Fire brigade charges and any extinguishing expenses which the Insured incurs;
 - 2. Loss and disposal of fire extinguishing materials expended.

There is no coverage for any costs incurred as a result of a false alarm.

- G. LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS & BETTERMENTS: This Policy is extended to cover the value of undamaged tenant's improvements and betterments when the Insured's lease is cancelled by the lessor; acting under a valid condition of the lease due to direct physical loss or damage to building or personal property caused by or resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss at an insured Location. No sublimit of liability applies to this additional coverage, but in no event will the Companies be liable for an amount in excess of the applicable sublimit of liability specified for the Leasehold Interest, if any.
- H. LEASEHOLD INTEREST: If Covered Property is: (1) rendered wholly or partially untenantable by a Covered Cause of Loss during the Policy period and (2) the Insured's lease is canceled by a party, other than the Named Insured, or an entity with any common ownership of the Named Insured, in accordance with the conditions of the lease or as a result of a statutory requirement of the appropriate jurisdiction in which the damaged or destroyed Covered Property is located, then this Policy is extended to cover "The Interest of the Insured as Lessee" (as defined below) or "The Interest of the Insured as Lessor" (as defined below), whichever is applicable, but only for the first three months succeeding the date of the loss and the "Net Lease Interest" (as defined below) shall be paid for the remaining months of the unexpired lease.

Recovery under this additional coverage shall be the pro-rata proportion from the date of loss to expiration date of the lease (to be paid without discount) on the Insured's Interest in:

- The amount of bonus paid by the Insured for the acquisition of the lease not recoverable under the terms of the lease;
- 2. Improvements and betterments to real property which are not covered under any other section of this Policy; and
- 3. The amount of advance rental paid by the Insured and not recoverable under the terms of the

Definitions: The following terms, wherever used in this Paragraph H shall mean:

1. The Interest of the Insured as Lessee is defined as:

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- a. the excess of the rental value of similar premises over the actual rental payable by the lessee (including any maintenance or operating charges paid by the lessee) during the unexpired term of the lease; and
- b. the rental income earned by the Insured from sublease agreements, to the extent not covered under any other section of this Policy, over and above the rental expenses specified in the lease between the Insured and the lessor.
- The Interest of the Insured as Lessor is defined as the difference between the rents payable to the lessor under the terms of the lease in effect at the time of loss and the actual rent collectible by the lessor during the unexpired term of the lease provided the lease is canceled by the lessee, to the extent not covered under any other section of this Policy.
- 3. Net Lease Interest is defined as that sum, which placed at 6% interest compounded annually will be equivalent to The Interest of the Insured as Lessee or Lessor.

The Companies shall not be liable for any increase of loss which may be occasioned by the suspension, lapse or cancellation of any license or by the Named Insured exercising any option to cancel the lease. Furthermore, the Named Insured shall use due diligence, including all things reasonably practicable, to diminish loss under this additional coverage.

- I. LIMITED POLLUTION COVERAGE: This Policy is extended to cover the reasonable and necessary additional expense incurred to remove, dispose of, or clean-up the actual presence of Pollutants or Contaminants from Land or water at an insured Location when such Land or water is contaminated or polluted due to a Covered Cause of Loss that occurs during the policy period. There will be no coverage unless such expenses are reported to the Companies within 180 days of the date of direct physical loss or damage.
- J. LOCK REPLACEMENT: This policy covers the necessary expense to repair or replace the exterior or interior door locks of a covered **Building**:
 - 1. If the door keys are stolen in a covered theft loss; or
 - 2. When the covered property is damaged and the door keys are stolen by burglars.
- K. NEWLY ACQUIRED PROPERTY: This Policy covers real or personal property of the type insured under this Policy for the perils insured under this Policy that is rented, leased, or purchased by the Insured after the inception date of this Policy. Coverage under this additional coverage ceases at the earlier of the following dates:
 - 1. See Section I.E.23 from the date of acquisition or lease of such property; or
 - 2. When the newly acquired location is bound by the Companies; or
 - 3. AmRisc notifies the Insured that it will not bind the newly acquired location,

There is no coverage for any property that is partially or wholly insured under any other insurance.

There is no coverage under this Paragraph for loss or damage which is covered under the Error or Omissions or Miscellaneous Unnamed Locations provisions of this Policy.

- L. ORDINANCE OR LAW: In the event of direct physical loss or damage under this Policy that results in the enforcement of any law, ordinance, governmental directive or standard in effect at the time of loss or damage regulating the construction, repair or use and occupancy of the property, the Companies shall pay:
 - Coverage A: For the loss in value of the undamaged portion of the building as a consequence of enforcement of an ordinance or law that requires demolition of undamaged parts of the same building.

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- Coverage B: For the cost to demolish and clear the site of undamaged parts of the same building, as a consequence of enforcement of an ordinance or law that requires demolition of such undamaged property.
- 3. Coverage C: For the increased cost of repair or replacement of the damaged and undamaged Building on the same or another site, limited to the cost that would have been incurred in order to comply with the minimum requirements of such law or ordinance regulating the repair or reconstruction of the damaged property on the same site. However, these Companies shall not be liable for any increased cost of construction loss unless the damaged property is actually rebuilt or replaced.
- 4. Coverage D: For the additional loss in Time Element (if covered), that the Insured sustains during the increased period of suspension of operations caused by or resulting from a consequence of enforcement of an ordinance or law.

The Companies shall not be liable for any cost of demolition or increased cost of reconstruction, repair, debris removal or loss of use (including Time Element) necessitated by the enforcement of any law or ordinance regulating any form of contamination or pollution.

- M. PAIRS OR SETS: If two or more components or parts are necessary for a whole or complete product, then this Policy covers the reduction in value of insured components or parts of products due to direct physical loss or damage insured against by this Policy to the other insured components or parts of such products.
- N. PROFESSIONAL FEES: This Policy is extended to cover reasonable and necessary "Claim Preparation Costs" (as defined below) incurred by the Insured at the request of the Companies for the purpose of determining the extent or amount of insured loss or damage as a result of a Covered Cause of Loss under this Policy, provided that, the Insured obtains the prior written approval of the Companies for the vendor to be engaged by the Insured.

Claim Preparation Costs means:

- 1. The cost of taking inventory and the cost of gathering and preparing other data to substantiate the extent or amount of loss or damage; and
- The cost of services provided by accountants, contractors and engineers solely for the purpose of determining the extent or amount of loss.

Claim Preparation Costs does not mean and does not include:

- Legal fees, charges and expenses;
- Fees and costs of a public claims adjuster, claim consultant, insurance broker or agent (except forensic accounting services), or any person acting for or on behalf of a public claims adjuster, claim consultant, or insurance broker or agent;
- Costs associated with negotiation or presentation of any claim or part of a claim that the Companies have advised the Insured is disputed or denied;
- 4. Costs associated with establishing that any claim or part of a claim is covered by the Policy; or
- Costs which represent overhead or operating expense of any Insured, including salaries of such Insured's employees.
- O. PROPERTY REMOVED FROM INSURED LOCATIONS: This Policy covers direct physical loss or damage to personal property of the Insured by a Covered Cause of Loss at any Location within the Coverage Territory when such personal property is removed from the Insured Locations for the purpose of being repaired or serviced, excluding:
 - 1. Personal property insured under another policy or floater;

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- 2. Personal property excluded under this Policy; or
- Personal property removed from the insured Locations for normal storage or processing or preparation for sale or delivery.
- P. REWARD REIMBURSEMENT: This Policy covers monetary rewards for information that leads to a criminal conviction in connection with loss or damage to covered property by a Covered Cause of Loss.
- Q. SERVICE INTERRUPTION: This Policy is extended to cover the loss or damage to Covered Property and Time Element (provided Time Element values are reported) resulting from direct physical loss or damage from a Covered Cause of Loss to: (1) incoming electrical, gas, water and telecommunication equipment and outgoing sewer; or (2) electrical, telecommunication, fuel, water, steam, refrigeration, or other service transmission lines; all situated outside the insured Locations.

However, this extension of coverage DOES NOT apply to any loss caused by damage to any utility service listed in (1) or (2) above, if located more than five (5) statute miles from the Insured's covered Location.

There shall be no loss payable under this Additional Coverage unless the interruption exceeds the qualifying period shown in Section I.E.31. In such case, the loss shall be measured from date and time of the loss. With respect to any Time Element Coverage provided herein, the Period of Interruption ends when: (1) incoming electrical, gas, water, or telecommunication equipment or outgoing sewer or (2) electrical, telecommunication, fuel, water, steam, refrigeration, or other service transmission lines, is restored.

The Sublimit shown in Section I.E.31. applies to all loss or damage to Covered Property and/or Time Element Coverage, combined arising out of one Service Interruption. None of the additional Time Element Coverages set forth in Section V.C. apply to the Time Element Coverage provided herein, except Rental Value.

- R. SPOILAGE: This policy is extended to cover spoilage as a direct result of a Covered Cause of Loss and subject to the additional exclusions listed below. The Companies shall be liable for direct physical loss or damage to:
 - 1. Perishable goods due to spoilage;
 - Perishable goods due to contamination from the release of refrigerant, including but not limited to ammonia;
 - 3. Perishable goods due to spoilage caused by a Covered Cause of Loss to equipment that is owned by a utility, landlord, or other supplier of any of the following services: electrical power, communications, waste disposal, air conditioning, refrigeration, heating, gas, air, water or steam.

If the insured is unable to replace the perishable goods before its anticipated sale, payment will be determined on the basis of the sales price of the perishable goods at the time of the loss, less discounts and expenses that otherwise would have been incurred. Otherwise, payment will be determined in accordance with the Valuation provision of this Policy.

Perishable Goods means personal property:

- 1. maintained under controlled conditions for its preservation, and
- 2. susceptible to loss or damage if the controlled conditions change,

Additional Exclusions: The Companies shall not be liable for loss or damage caused by or resulting from:

 The disconnection of any refrigerating, cooling or humidity control system from the source of power.

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- 2. The deactivation of electrical power caused by the manipulation of any switch or other device used to control the flow of electrical power or current.
- S. TRANSIT: This Policy is extended to cover personal property, not otherwise excluded by this Policy, while such property is in transit.

It is agreed that coverage under this extension shall include the following:

- 1. Personal property shipped to customers on F.O.B., C & F, or similar terms. The Insured's contingent interest in such shipments is admitted.
- 2. The interest of the Insured in, and legal liability for, personal property of others in the actual or constructive custody of the Insured.
- 3. Personal property of others sold by the Insured which the Insured has agreed prior to loss to insure during course of delivery.

It is agreed that the following additional exclusions apply to coverage as provided under this additional coverage:

- 1. Property insured under import or export ocean cargo policies.
- 2. Waterborne shipments to and from the Coverage Territory.
- 3. Shipments made by air, unless via regularly scheduled airlines.
- 4. Property shipped by mail.
- 5. Property of others, including the Insured's legal liability therefor, hauled on vehicles owned, leased, or operated by the Insured when acting as a common or contract carrier as defined by the Interstate Commerce Commission Regulations or other state regulatory agencies.
- 6. Any transporting vehicle or conveyance.

This additional coverage attaches from the time the property leaves the original point of shipment for the commencement of transit and covers thereafter continuously in the due course of transit within the Coverage Territory until delivered at destination.

Coverage on export shipments not insured under ocean cargo policies does not extend beyond the time when the property is loaded on board overseas vessels or aircraft. Coverage on import shipments not insured under ocean cargo policies does not attach until after discharge from overseas vessels or aircraft.

This additional coverage does not cover or apply to delay, loss of market, or any Time Element coverage.

Permission is granted to the Insured without prejudice to this insurance to accept the ordinary bills of lading used by carriers, including released and/or undervalued bills of lading and/or shipping or messenger receipts. The Insured may waive subrogation against railroads under sidetrack agreements, but the Insured shall not enter into any special agreement with carriers releasing them from their common law or statutory liability.

T. VALUABLE PAPERS AND RECORDS: This Policy is extended to cover Valuable Papers and Records.

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SECTION VII - CONDITIONS

- A. ABANDONMENT: There can be no abandonment to the Companies of any property.
- B. ADJUSTMENT OF LOSSES and FIRST NAMED INSURED CLAUSE: Loss or damage shall be adjusted with and payable to the First Named Insured, subject to any Certificates of Insurance on file with AmRisc which require payment to a loss payee or mortgagee.

If this Policy insures more than one entity, the First Named Insured is authorized to act on behalf of all other Insureds with respect to their rights, obligations and duties under this Policy. Payment of loss or return premium under this Policy to the First Named Insured shall satisfy the Companies' obligations with respect to all Insureds.

C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matters which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

The Arbitration Tribunal may not award exemplary, punitive, multiple or other damages of a similar nature.

The award of the Arbitration Tribunal shall be in writing and binding upon the parties who covenant to carry out the same. If either of the parties should fail to carry out any award the other may apply for its enforcement to a court of competent jurisdiction in any territory in which the party in default is domiciled or has assets or carries on business.

- D. ASSIGNMENT: The Insured may not assign this Policy without the Companies' prior written consent.
- E. BRANDS AND LABELS: If branded or labeled merchandise covered by this Policy is physically damaged and the Companies elect to take all or any part of such merchandise at the value established by the terms of this Policy, the Insured may, at their own expense, stamp "SALVAGE" on the merchandise or its containers, or may remove or obliterate the brands or labels, if such stamp, removal or obliteration will not physically damage the merchandise, but the Insured must re-label the merchandise or containers in compliance with the requirements of law.

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F. CANCELLATION AND ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS:

- 1. This Policy can be canceled by the First Named Insured by providing the Companies with:
 - a. An advanced written request for cancellation stating when the cancellation shall be effective,
 and
 - The original Policy or a lost policyholder release signed by the First Named Insured or its legal representative.
- This Policy may be canceled by the Companies by giving to the Insured at least ninety (90) days written notice of cancellation or in the case of non-payment of premium or material mis-statement, at least ten (10) days written notice of cancellation.
- The cancellation will be effective even if the Companies have not made or offered a refund. If notice is mailed, proof of malling will be sufficient proof of notice.
- 4. If this Policy is canceled, the Companies will send the First Named Insured any premium refund due.
- 5. Earned Premium:
 - a. For Locations NOT "Exposed to Hurricanes", if the Insured cancels this Policy or removes a Location, the short rate return premium is 90% of applicable pro-rata premium subject to any Minimum Earned Premium stipulations in the Policy.
 - b. For Locations "Exposed to Hurricanes", if the Insured cancels this Policy, removes a Location or reduces the amount of insurance on a Location and coverage existed any time during the period of June 1st to November 1st, the amount of premium the Companies will return will be the Unearned Premium for the Location. The Unearned Premium is the Location premium times the Unearned Factor noted below:

Days Policy in Force	Unearned Factor
1-180	20.0%
181-210	15.0%
211-240	10.0%
241-270	7.5%
271-300	5.0%
301-330	2.5%
331 or more	0%

However, subject to receipt of closing documents within 30 days of closing, this Policy allows pro-rata return premium for locations sold (but not for loss of management contract), subject to a maximum of 25% of scheduled values.

c. For **Locations** "Exposed to Hurricanes", if added (or coverage increased at an existing **location** which is "Exposed to Hurricanes") during the term of the Policy and coverage exists at any time during the period of June 1st to November 1st, the premium will be calculated at 100% of the annual rate, less the Unearned Factor noted in b. above. Otherwise, it shall be pro-rata.

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However, subject to receipt of closing documents, this Policy allows pro-rata additional premium for **Locations** purchased during the policy term.

- d. Locations of like kind and quality shall be added at the account rate, subject to the Unearned Factor noted in b. above. Locations of differing kind or quality or locations in Dade, Broward or Palm Beach counties of Florida must be approved by AmRisc prior to attachment.
- e. If a **Location** is "Exposed to Hurricanes", the provisions of this clause replace any short rate provisions stipulated in this Policy, all subject to the Minimum Earned Premium provisions.
- f. "Exposed to Hurricanes" is defined to include any **Location** within 100 miles of the closest salt water of the Atlantic Ocean or the Gulf of Mexico.
- g. Coverage cannot be increased nor additional Locations added if they are "Exposed to Hurricanes" and a Named Storm is in existence, unless with the express written consent of AmRisc.
- h. Nothing herein will act to provide coverage outside the automatic acquisition clause elsewhere in the Policy.
- I. Non-payment of premium, material misstatement or non-compliance with underwriting requirements shall be considered a request by the Insured to cancel the Policy.
- j. Proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice of cancellation,
- G. CLAIMS REPORTING AND ADJUSTMENT:

All Claims shall be reported to: AmRisc Claims Department

E-Mail: claims@amrisc.com

Ph: 252-247-8796 Fax: 252-726-2855

All Claims shall be adjusted by: CJW and Associates

1420 Edgewater Drive, Suite 101, Orlando, FL 32804

and/or its assigned adjusters and the costs of such adjustments shall be borne by each Company in proportion to its pro-rata participation in this policy.

In the event the Company(s) elects to use its own adjusters or independent adjusters or consultants other than as listed above, expenses so incurred shall be borne solely by the Company.

It is further understood and agreed that, notwithstanding any provision contained elsewhere in this policy to the contrary, the Insured will be deemed to be in full compliance with any claim notice requirements, if notice of an occurrence is made to the Company[s] as soon as practicable after knowledge by the Insured or their representatives, that such occurrence will, or is likely to result in a claim under the policy. Any unintentional failure to report any occurrence or claim shall not invalidate coverage with respect to any such occurrence or claim.

- H. CONTROL OF DAMAGED MERCHANDISE: The Insured, exercising reasonable discretion, shall be the sole judge as to whether the goods involved in any loss under this Policy are fit for normal intended use or consumption. No goods so deemed by the Insured to be unfit for consumption shall be sold or otherwise disposed of except by the Insured or with the Insured's consent, but the Insured shall allow the Companies any salvage obtained by the Insured on any sale or other disposition of such goods. The Insured shall have full right to the possession of and retain control of all goods involved in any loss under this Policy.
- I. CURRENCY: Any amount of money specified in the Policy, including Limits of Liability, Deductibles and Premiums shall be considered to be in the currency of the United States of America.

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J. DIVISIBLE CONTRACT: Subject to Condition N. below, if the Locations described in this Policy include two or more buildings or the contents of two or more buildings, the breach of any condition of this Policy in respect to any one or more of the buildings insured or containing the Covered Property, shall not prejudice the right to recover for physical loss or damage occurring in any building insured or containing the Covered Property where, at the time of such loss or damage, a breach of condition does not exist.

K. INSPECTION AND AUDIT: The Companies, at all reasonable times during this Policy period, shall be permitted but not obligated to inspect the property insured by this Policy. Neither the Companies' right to make inspections nor the making thereof nor any report thereon shall constitute any undertaking by the Companies, on behalf of or for the benefit of the Insured or others, to determine or warrant that such property is safe or healthful or that they comply with any law, rule or regulation.

The Companies may also examine and audit the Insured's books and records at any reasonable time during the Policy period and within one year after the Policy termination, as long as such examination and audit relate to the subject matter of this Policy.

- L. JOINT LOSS AGREEMENT: In the event the insurance company, if any, providing boiler and machinery insurance ('B&M insurer') disputes any portion of the claim made against that B&M insurer, but these Companies believe the B&M insurer should have paid that portion of the claim, then these Companies shall, upon written request of the Insured, pay to the Insured one-half of the amount of the loss which is in disagreement, but in no event more than these Companies would have paid if there had been no B&M policy in effect, subject to the following conditions:
 - 1. The amount of the loss which is in disagreement, after making provisions for any undisputed claims payable under the said policies and after the amount of the loss is agreed upon by the Insured and all of the insurers, is limited to the minimum amount remaining payable under the B&M policy;
 - 2. The B&M insurer shall simultaneously pay to the Insured one-half of said amount which is in disagreement;
 - 3. The payments by all of the insurers hereunder and acceptance of the same by the Insured signify the agreement of all the insurers to submit to and proceed with arbitration within 90 days of such payments; the arbitrators shall be three in number, one of whom shall be appointed by the Property insurance Companies and one of whom shall be appointed by the B&M insurer and the third shall be appointed with the consent of the Property insurance Companies and the B&M insurer, and the decision by the arbitrators shall be binding upon all the insurers and that judgment upon such award may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction;
 - 4. The Insured agrees to cooperate in connection with such arbitration but not to intervene therein;
 - 5. The provisions of this clause shall not apply unless such other policy issued by the B&M insurer is similarly endorsed;
 - 6. Acceptance by the Insured of sums paid pursuant to the provisions of this clause, including an arbitration award, shall not operate to alter, waive, surrender, or in any way affect the rights of the Insured against any of the insurers.
- M. LOSS PAYEES, LENDER'S LOSS PAYEES, AND MORTGAGEES (OR TRUSTEES):
 - 1. Loss, or damage, if any, under this Policy shall be payable to:
 - a. any Loss Payee or Lender's Loss Payee as its interest may appear; and
 - b. any Mortgagee (or Trustee) as its interest may appear under all present or future mortgages upon the insured property in which the aforesaid may have an interest as Mortgagee (or Trustee), in order of precedence of said mortgages.

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2. As to the interest of the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) only, this insurance shall not be invalidated by any act or neglect of the Insured nor by any foreclosure or other proceedings or notice of sale relating to said property nor by any change in the title or ownership of said property, nor by the occupation of the insured Locations for purposes more hazardous than are permitted by this Policy; provided, that in case the Insured shall neglect to pay any premium due under this Policy, the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) shall, on demand pay the

The Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) must notify AmRisc, LLC of any change of ownership or occupancy or increase of hazard which shall come to the knowledge of the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) and, unless permitted by this Policy it shall be noted hereon and the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) shall, on demand, pay the premium for such increased hazard; otherwise, this entire Clause 2. shall be null and void.

- 3. If the Companies cancel this Policy, they will give:
 - a) ten (10) days before the effective date, if cancellation is for non-payment of premium; or
 - b) ninety (90) days before the effective date, if cancellation is for any other reason.
- 4. Nothing herein shall affect the rights of the Companies to suspend insurance [which shall include any insurance applying to the interest of the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee)] on any machine, vessel or part thereof in accordance with the Suspension Clause of Equipment Breakdown (if such coverage is provided by endorsement to this policy). Companies agree to furnish the Loss Pavee, Lender's Loss Pavee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) with a copy of the suspension notice at the Loss Payee's, Lender's Loss Payee's, or Mortgagee's (or Trustee's) address.
- 5. Whenever the Companies shall pay the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) any sum for loss under this Policy and shall claim that, as to the Insured, no liability therefor existed, the Companies shall, to the extent of such payment, be subrogated to all the rights of the party to whom such payment shall be made, under all securities held as collateral to the debt, or may, at their option pay to the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) the whole principal due or to grow due on the debt with interest, and shall thereupon receive a full assignment and transfer of all rights and securities; but no subrogation shall impair the right of the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) to recover the full amount of the Loss Payee's, Lender's Loss Payee's or Mortgagee's (or Trustee's) claim.
- N. MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD: This entire Policy shall be void if, whether before or after a loss, the Insured has willfully concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this insurance or the subject thereof, or the interest of the insured therein, or in case of any fraud, or false swearing by the Insured relating thereto.
- O. OTHER INSURANCE/EXCESS INSURANCE/UNDERLYING INSURANCE: In the event there is other insurance covering loss or damage insured under this Policy, then this Policy shall apply only as excess and in no event as contributory insurance (unless this Policy is specifically written to be contributory insurance), and then only after all other insurance has been exhausted, whether or not such insurance is collectible. Permission is granted for the Insured to purchase Excess Insurance over the limits provided by this Policy, and underlying insurance on all or any part of the deductibles of this Policy.
- P. PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF PROPERTY: In case of actual or imminent direct physical loss or damage by a Covered Cause of Loss, the expenses incurred by the Insured in taking reasonable and necessary actions for the temporary protection and preservation of Covered Property hereunder shall be added to the total physical loss or damage otherwise recoverable under this Policy and be subject to the applicable deductible, sublimit of liability and the Policy Limit.

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- Q. REINSTATEMENT OF LIMITS: Except for any Covered Cause of Loss which is subject to an annual aggregate limit or sublimit of liability, payment of a claim will not reduce the amount payable under this Policy for any subsequent covered loss.
- R. REQUIREMENTS IN CASE OF LOSS: The Insured shall;
 - 1. Give immediate written notice of any loss or damage to AmRisc;
 - 2. Promptly contact the applicable authority having jurisdiction in the event a law has been broken, and promptly file a written report with such authority;
 - 3. Protect the property from further loss or damage;
 - 4. Separate the damaged and undamaged personal property;
 - 5. Maintain such property in the best possible order;
 - 6. Furnish a complete inventory of the lost, destroyed, damaged and undamaged property, showing in detail quantities, costs, actual cash value and amount of loss claimed;
 - 7. Furnish all other documents or insurance policies that the Companies may reasonably require;
 - 8. Allow the Companies to access and inspect any of the damaged or undamaged property; and
 - Submit to examination under oath at such times as may be reasonably required about any matter relating to this insurance or any claim;

Within ninety (90) days after the loss, unless such time is extended in writing by the Companies, the Insured shall provide the Companies with a proof of loss, signed and sworn to by the Insured, stating the knowledge and belief of the Insured as to the following:

- 1. The time and origin of the loss;
- 2. The interest of the Insured and of all others in the property;
- 3. The value of each item thereof determined in accordance with the Valuation Provisions of this Policy and the amount of loss thereto and all encumbrances thereon;
- 4. All other contracts of insurance, whether collectible or not, covering any of said property; and
- 5. Any changes in the title, use, occupation, location, possession or exposures of said property subsequent to the issuance of this Policy, by whom and for what purpose any building herein described and the several parts thereof were occupied at the time of loss whether or not it then stood on leased ground.
- S. REVIEW OF VALUES: The Insured shall provide AmRisc at Policy inception and each subsequent anniversary date of this Policy, a Statement of Values which consists of the current 100% Property and Time Element values for all insured **Locations**.

Such values shall be reported separately for each Location, with separate figures shown for each type of coverage at each Location. The property values shall be shown on a Replacement Cost Basis for property which is covered on a Replacement Cost Basis and on an Actual Cash Value basis for other property. The value of stock and supplies to be included in the property values shall be in accordance with the Valuation clause contained in this Policy and shall be based on the approximate average of the stock and supplies on hand during the twelve months immediately preceding the annual review of values. Time Element values (if covered) shall be provided in accordance with the terms of the applicable Time Element provisions.

Upon inception and at each anniversary date of this Policy, the Annual Premium shall be due and payable to AmRisc. Receipt of said Statement of Values by AmRisc shall be considered as authorization by the Insured for premiums under this Policy to be calculated.

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The premium for this Policy is based upon the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc, or attached to this Policy.

- T. SALVAGE AND RECOVERIES: All salvages, recoveries and payments, excluding proceeds from subrogation and underlying insurance recovered or received prior to a loss settlement under this Policy, shall reduce the loss accordingly.
- U. SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS: The amount of loss for which the Companies may be liable shall be payable within thirty (30) days after proof of loss, as herein required, is received and accepted by the Companies and ascertainment of the amount of loss is made either by agreement between the First Named Insured and the Companies or an amount is determined by binding Arbitration in accordance with the provisions of this Policy.

The Companies shall have the option to take all, or any part of the property at the agreed or arbitrated value, or to repair, rebuild or replace the property physically lost or damaged with other of like kind and quality, within a reasonable time, on giving notice of its intention to do so within sixty (60) days after receipt of the proof of loss herein required.

V. SEVERAL LIABILITY NOTICE LMA5096 03/08 (Combined Certificate) - amended

The liability of an insurer under this Policy is several and not joint with other insurers party to this Policy. An insurer is liable only for the proportion of liability it has underwritten. An insurer is not jointly liable for the proportion of liability underwritten by any other insurer. Nor is an insurer otherwise responsible for any liability of any other insurer that may underwrite this Policy.

The proportion of liability under this Policy underwritten by an insurer (or, in the case of a Lloyd's syndicate, the total of the proportions underwritten by all the members of the syndicate taken together) is shown in this Policy.

In the case of a Lloyd's syndicate, each member of the syndicate (rather than the syndicate itself) is an insurer. Each member has underwritten a proportion of the total shown for the syndicate (that total itself being the total of the proportions underwritten by all the members of the syndicate taken together). The liability of each member of the syndicate is several and not joint with other members. A member is llable only for that member's proportion. A member is not jointly liable for any other member's proportion. Nor is any member otherwise responsible for any liability of any other insurer that may underwrite this Policy. The business address of each member is Lloyd's, One Lime Street, London EC3M 7HA United Kingdom. The identity of each member of a Lloyd's syndicate and their respective proportion may be obtained by writing to Market Services, Lloyd's, at the above address. Although reference is made at various points in this clause to "this Policy" in the singular, where the circumstances so require this should be read as a reference to Policies in the plural.

Wherever the word Insurers is mentioned in this clause, this is deemed to also mean reinsured in respect of reinsurance business.

W. SUBROGATION: The Companies may require from the Insured an assignment of all right of recovery against any party for loss to the extent that payment has been made by the Companies, but the Companies shall not acquire any rights of recovery which the Insured has expressly waived in writing prior to loss nor shall such waiver in writing affect the Insured's rights under this Policy.

The Companies do waive rights of recovery against any unit-owner of a Condominium Association.

However, notwithstanding the foregoing, the Companies shall be subrogated to all the Insured's rights of recover against:

- any Architect or Engineer, whether named as an Insured or not, for any loss or damage arising
 out of the performance of professional services in their capacity as such and caused by an
 error, omission, deficiency or act of the Architect or Engineer, by any person employed by them
 or by any others for whose acts they are legally liable, and
- any manufacturer or supplier of machinery, equipment or other property, whether named as an Insured or not, for the cost of making good any loss or damage which said party has agreed to make good under a guarantee or warranty, whether expressed or implied.

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Any recovery as a result of subrogation proceedings arising out of an **Occurrence**, after expenses incurred in such subrogation proceedings are deducted, shall accrue to the Insured in the proportion that the deductible amount and/or any provable uninsured loss amount bears to the entire provable loss amount

The Insured will cooperate with the Companies and, upon the Companies' request and expense will:

- 1. Attend hearings and trials; and
- 2. Assist in effecting settlements, securing and giving evidence, obtaining the attendance of witnesses, and conducting suits.
- X. SUIT AGAINST COMPANIES: No suit, action or proceeding for the recovery of any claim under this Policy shall be sustainable in any court of law or equity unless the Insured shall have fully complied with all the requirements of this Policy, nor unless the same be commenced within twelve (12) months next after the date of the loss, provided however, that if under the laws of the jurisdiction in which the property is located such time limitation is invalid, then any such claims shall be void unless such action, suit or proceedings is commenced within the shortest limit of time permitted by the laws of such jurisdiction.
- Y. TERRITORIAL LIMITATIONS: Payment of loss under this Policy shall only be made in full compliance with all United States of America economic or trade sanction laws or regulations, including, but not limited to, sanctions, laws and regulations administered and enforced by the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC").
- Z. TITLES OF PARAGRAPHS: The titles of the various paragraphs of this Policy (and of endorsements included in this Policy) are solely for reference and shall not in any way affect the provisions to which they relate.
- AA. VACANCY: The Insured has permission to cease business operations or to have any insured **Building** vacant or unoccupied, provided that the fire protection, security and alarm services are maintained. The insured **Building** is considered vacant or unoccupied when it does not contain adequate Covered Property to conduct customary business operations, but this provision shall not apply to any time period when customary business operations are suspended due to circumstances that are usual to such business operations. The Insured must notify AmRisc no later than 90 days after the cessation of business operations, vacancy or un-occupancy. If not so notified within 90 days, the Deductible shall be the greater of: double the applicable peril deductible; or \$100,000. This restriction shall not apply to any **Building** in the course of construction or renovation.

SECTION VIII - POLICY DEFINITIONS

A. Actual Cash Value: The following is added to any provision which uses the term Actual Cash Value:

Actual Cash Value is calculated as the amount it would cost to repair or replace Covered Property, at the time of loss or damage, with material of like kind and quality, subject to a deduction for deterioration, depreciation and obsolescence. Actual Cash Value applies to valuation of Covered Property regardless of whether that property has sustained partial or total loss or damage.

The Actual Cash Value of the lost or damaged property may be significantly less than its replacement cost.

- B. Aircraft or Vehicle Impact means only physical contact of an aircraft, spacecraft, self-propelled missile, or objects falling therefrom, or vehicle or an object thrown up by a vehicle.
- C. Average Daily Value (ADV): Average Daily Value shall be the total 100% Time Element Value that would have been projected for the Period of Interruption for the Location(s) where the physical loss or damage occurs, had no physical loss or damage occurred, divided by the number of working days in

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such period. The sum shall include all Time Element values to which the operations of the Locations(s) directly or indirectly contribute

- D. **Building**: Building is defined as a fully enclosed permanent structure with walls and a continuous
- E. Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse means direct physical loss or damage to Covered Property caused by or resulting from catastrophic ground cover collapse, meaning geological activity that results in all of the following:
 - 1. The abrupt collapse of the ground cover;
 - 2. A depression in the ground cover clearly visible to the naked eye;
 - 3. Structural damage to the building, including the foundation; and
 - 4. The insured **Building** or structure being condemned and ordered to be vacated by the governmental agency authorized by law to issue such an order for that structure.

However, structural damage consisting merely of the settling or cracking of a foundation, structure or building does not constitute loss or damage resulting from a catastrophic ground cover collapse.

The Earth Movement exclusion does not apply to coverage for Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse.

Coverage for Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse does not increase the applicable Limit of Insurance. Regardless of whether loss or damage attributable to catastrophic ground cover collapse also qualifies as Sinkhole Loss or Earth Movement (if either or both of these causes of loss are covered), only one Limit of Insurance will apply to such loss or damage.

- F. Collapse means an abrupt falling down or caving in of a building or any part of a building with the result that the building or part of the building cannot be occupied for its current intended purpose. The Collapse must be caused by or resulting from one or more of the following:
 - Building decay that is hidden from view, unless the presence of such decay is known to the Insured prior to collapse;
 - Insect or vermin damage that is hidden from view, unless the presence of such damage is known to the Insured prior to collapse;
 - 3. Use of defective material or methods in construction, remodeling or renovation if the abrupt collapse occurs during the course of construction, remodeling or renovation.
 - 4. Use of defective material or methods in construction, remodeling or renovation if the abrupt collapse occurs after the construction, remodeling or renovation is complete, but only if the collapse is caused in part by:
 - a) A cause of loss listed in F.1. or F.2;
 - b) One or more of the Defined Causes of Loss;
 - c) Breakage of building glass;
 - d) Weight of people or personal property; or
 - e) Weight of rain that collects on a roof.
 - 5. Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse.
- G. Companies: The following words shall be synonymous with each other: "Underwriters", "Insurers" and "Companies".

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- H. Defined Cause of Loss means Fire, Lightning, Explosion, Windstorm or Hall, Smoke, Aircraft or Vehicle Impact, Riot, Strike or Civil Commotion, Vandalism and Malicious Mischief, or Leakage From Fire Protection Equipment.
- 1. Earth Movement means any natural or manmade;
 - 1. Earthquake, including any earth sinking, rising or shifting related to such event;
 - 2. Landslide, including any earth sinking, rising or shifting related to such event;
 - 3. Mine subsidence, meaning subsidence of a man-made mine, whether or not mining activity has ceased;
 - 4. Earth sinking, rising or shifting, including soil conditions which cause settling, cracking or other disarrangement of foundations or other parts of realty. Soil conditions include contraction, expansion, freezing, thawing, erosion, improperly compacted soil and the action of water under the ground surface
 - 5. Shocks, tremors, mudslide, mud flow, rock falls, volcanic eruption, Sinkhole Loss, subsidence or any other Earth Movement.
 - 6. Sprinkler Leakage caused by or resulting from Earth Movement.
- J. Earth Movement Counties: As referenced in this Policy, designated Earthquake Zones shall be defined as all Locations situated within the States or Counties as specified below:
 - 1. Pacific Northwest States:

Oregon and Washington.

2. New Madrid Earthquake Zone Counties:

Arkansas: Arkansas, Clay, Cleburne, Conway, Craighead, Crittenden, Cross, Desha, Faulkner, Fulton, Independence, Izard, Greene, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lee, Lincoln, Lonoke, Mississippi, Monroe, Phillips, Prairie, Poinsett, Pulaski, Randolph, Sharp, St. Francis, Stone, Van Buren, White, and Woodruff.

Illinois: Alexander, Bond, Calhoun, Christian, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, Edwards, Effingham, Fayette, Franklin, Gallatin, Greene, Hamilton, Hardin, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jersey, Johnson, Lawrence, Macoupin, Madison, Marion, Massac, Monroe, Montgomery, Moultrie, Perry, Pope, Pulaski, Randolph, Richland, Saline, Shelby, St. Clair, Union, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, and Williamson.

Indiana: Daviess, Dubois, Gibson, Knox, Perry, Pike, Posey, Spencer, Sullivan, Vanderburgh, and Warrick.

Kentucky: Ballard, Caldwell, Calloway, Carlisle, Christian, Crittenden, Daviess, Fulton, Graves, Hancock, Henderson, Hickman, Hopkins, Livingston, Lyon, Marshall, McCracken, McLean, Muhlenberg, Ohio, Todd, Trigg, Union, and Webster.

Mississippi: Alcorn, Benton, Bolivar, Coahoma, De Soto, Lafayette, Marshall, Panola, Quitman, Sunflower, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tippah, Tunica, and Union.

Missouri: Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Crawford, Dent, Dunklin, Franklin, Howell, Iron, Jefferson, Lincoln, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Oregon, Pemiscot, Perry, Reynolds, Ripley, Scott, Shannon, St. Charles, St. Francois, St. Louis City, St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, Stoddard, Warren, Washington, and Wayne.

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Tennessee: Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, Dickson, Dyer, Fayette, Glbson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Hickman, Houston, Humphreys, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Montgomery, Obion, Perry, Shelby, Stewart, Tipton, and Weakley.

K. Electronic Data and Media means data, messages, information, coding, programs, instructions or any other software stored on electronic, electromechanical, electromagnetic data processing or electronically controlled production equipment and distributed by means of a computer network or is produced in a format for use with a computer.

L. Equipment Breakdown means:

- 1. Mechanical breakdown, including rupture or bursting caused by centrifugal force;
- Artificially generated electrical current, including electric arcing, that disturbs electrical devices, appliances or wires;
- Explosion of steam boilers, steam pipes, steam engines or steam turbines owned or leased by the Insured, or operated under the control of the Insured;
- 4. Loss or damage to steam boilers, steam pipes, steam engines or steam turbines caused by or resulting from any condition or event inside such equipment; or
- Loss or damage to hot water boilers or other water heating equipment caused by or resulting from any condition or event inside such boilers or equipment.
- M. Explosion: Explosion does not include loss or damage occasioned by or incident to explosion in or of the following equipment owned, operated or controlled by the Insured:
 - 1. Steam boiler, steam turbines, steam engines, and steam pipes interconnecting any of the foregoing;
 - Moving or rotating machinery or parts thereof when such direct loss or damage is caused by centrifugal force or mechanical breakdown;
 - 3. Combustion gas turbines;
 - Any products manufactured by the Insured or other property attached thereto or forming or to form a part thereof undergoing pressure tests to the extent of the loss to such property.

Explosion will include loss or damage arising or resulting from:

- The explosion of accumulated combustible gases or unconsumed fuel within the furnace of a boiler or pressure vessel, other than combustion gas turbines, or within the flues or passages which conduct the gases of combustion therefrom;
- 2. A combustion explosion outside of any equipment excluded above even though such combustion explosion may have been the direct result of the explosion or such excluded equipment.

The following are not explosions within the Intent or meaning of this definition:

- 1. Electric arcing or any coincident rupture of electrical equipment due to such arcing;
- 2. Bursting or rupture caused by freezing;
- 3. Sonic shock waves, generally known as Sonic Boom;
- 4. Bursting, rupture or collapse of any safety disc, rupture diaphragm or fusible link.
- N. Exterior Insulation and Finish Systems (EIFS): means a nonload bearing, exterior wall cladding system that consists of an insulation board attached either adhesively or mechanically, or both, to the

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substrate; an integrally reinforced base coat; and a textured protective finish coat. For a more detailed description, refer to website http://www.eima.com.

- O. Fine Arts means: paintings; etchings; pictures; tapestries; rare or art glass; art glass windows; valuable rugs; statuary; sculptures; antique furniture; antique jewelry; bric-a-brac; porcelains; and similar property of rarity, historical value, or artistic merit, excluding automobiles, coins, stamps, furs, jewelry, precious stones, precious metal, watercraft, aircraft, money and securities.
- P. Flood means, whether natural or manmade: Flood waters, surface water, waves, tide or tidal water, tsunami, overflow or rupture of a dam, levee, dike, floodgates, or other surface containment structure, storm surge, the rising, overflowing or breaking of boundaries of natural or manmade bodies of water, or the spray from any of the foregoing, all whether driven by wind or not.

Water which backups or discharges from sewers, drains or sumps on the Insured's **Location** is not considered Flood, unless such backup or discharge was due to Flood as defined above.

Q. Fungus, Mold(s), Mildew, Spores Or Yeast:

Fungus includes, but is not limited to, any of the plants or organisms belonging to the major group fungi, lacking chlorophyll, and including mold(s), rusts, mildews, smuts and mushrooms.

Mold includes, but is not limited to, any superficial growth produced on damp or decaying organic matter or on living organisms, and fungi that produce mold(s).

Spore means any dormant or reproductive body produced by or arising or emanating out of any fungus, mold(s), mildew, plants, organisms or microorganisms.

- R. **Hurricane:** A hurricane is a storm system that has been declared to be a Hurricane by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service.
- S. Land means land (except land for which values are reported and premiums are charged hereunder), such as dikes, levees, and other surface containment structures. Surface containment structures are not land to a depth of six inches below such surface containment structures.
- T. Leakage From Fire Protection Equipment means direct physical loss or damage from:
 - 1. Water or other substances discharged from within any part of the Fire Protection Equipment for the insured Location or for any adjoining Locations;
 - Collapse or fall of tanks forming a part of the Fire Protection Equipment or the component parts or supports of such tanks.

The term Fire Protection Equipment includes tanks, water mains, hydrants or valves, and any other equipment whether used solely for fire protection or jointly for fire protection and for other purposes, but does not include:

- 1. Branch piping from a joint system where such branches are used entirely for purposes other than fire protection;
- 2. Any underground water mains or appurtenances located outside of the insured Location and forming a part of the public water distribution system;
- 3. Any pond or reservoir in which the water is impounded by a dam.
- U. Location means the location as specified in the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc, but if not so specified, location means any building, yard, dock, wharf, pier or bulkhead or any group of the foregoing bounded on all sides by public streets, clear Land space or open waterways, each not less than two hundred feet wide. Any bridge or tunnel crossing such street, space or waterway shall render such separation inoperative for the purpose of this definition.

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V. **Miscellaneous Unnamed Location(s)** means a location that has not been included in the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc and has not been reported to AmRisc as may be required in the Policy provisions elsewhere.

There is no coverage under this Paragraph for loss or damage which is covered under the Error or Omissions or Newly Acquired Property provisions of this Policy.

- W. **Named Storm:** The term "Named Storm" shall include, but not be limited to, storm, cyclone, typhoon, atmospheric disturbance, depression or other weather phenomena designated by the US National Hurricane Center and where a name (and not only a number) has been applied.
- X. Occurrence means any one loss, disaster, casualty, incident or series of losses, disasters, casualties or incidents, not otherwise excluded by this Policy and arising out of a single event or originating cause and includes all resultant or concomitant insured losses. The occurrence must occur during the policy period.

If more than one event for Windstorm & Hail, Named Storm, Riot Strike Or Civil Commotion, Vandalism & Malicious Mischief, Earth Movement or Flood covered by this Policy occurs within any period of seventy-two (72) hours during the term of this Policy, such covered events shall be deemed to be a single Occurrence. When filing proof of loss, the Insured may elect the moment at which the 72 hour period shall be deemed to have commenced, which shall not be earlier than the time when the first loss occurs to the Covered Property.

- Y. Pollutants or Contaminants means any solid, liquid, gaseous or thermal irritant or contaminant, including smog, smoke, vapor, soot, fumes, acids, alkalis, chemicals and waste, which after its release can cause or threaten damage to human health or human welfare or causes or threatens damage, deterioration, loss of value, marketability or loss of use to property insured hereunder, including, but not limited to, bacteria, virus, or hazardous substances as listed in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, Clean Air Act, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, and Toxic Substances Control Act or as designated by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency. Waste includes materials to be recycled, reconditioned or reclaimed.
- Z. Riot, Strike or Civil Commotion means rlot and civil commotion including:
 - 1. Acts of striking employees while occupying the insured Location; and
 - 2. Pilferage or looting occurring at the time and place of a riot or civil commotion,

AA. Sinkhole Loss

1. As respects locations in all states, EXCEPT Florida;

Sinkhole Loss means: The sudden sinking or collapse of land into underground empty spaces created by the action of water on limestone or dolomite. This does not include:

- a. The cost of filling sinkholes; or
- b. Sinking or collapse of land into man-made underground cavities.
- 2. As respects locations in Florida:
 - A) Sinkhole Loss means: "structural damage" to the "principal building", including the foundation, caused by "sinkhole activity" that occurs during the policy period.

"Sinkhole activity" means settlement or systematic weakening of the earth supporting the "principal building", only if the settlement or systematic weakening results from contemporaneous movement or raveling of soils, sediments, or rock materials into subterranean voids created by the effect of water on a limestone or similar rock formation.

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"Sinkhole" means a landform created by the subsidence of soil, sediment, or rock as underlying strata are dissolved by ground water.

A "sinkhole" forms by collapse into subterranean voids created by dissolution of limestone or dolostone or by subsidence as these strata are dissolved.

- B) Coverage for direct physical loss caused by "sinkhole loss" that occurs during the policy period is limited to the "principal building", including the costs incurred to:
 - 1. Stabilize the "principal building's" land and "principal building"; and
 - 2. Repair the foundation of the "principal building."

Such work must be in accordance with the requirements of Florida Insurance Law; and in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer and with notice to the Insured.

The professional engineer or professional geologist must be selected or approved by the Companies.

C) Upon receipt of a claim for a sinkhole loss to a "principal building", the Companies will inspect the property to determine if there is "structural damage" that may be a result of "sinkhole activity."

In the event of a "sinkhole loss" to a "principal building", the Insured must repair the damage or loss in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer.

Prior to the Insured entering into a contract for performance of building stabilization or foundation repair, if the Companies professional engineer selected or approved by the Companies determines that the repairs cannot be completed within the applicable Limit of Insurance, the Companies at their option; either:

- 1. Pay to complete the Companies' professional engineer's recommended repairs; or
- 2. Pay the policy limits of the applicable building.

However, until the Insured enters into a contract for performance of building stabilization or foundation repair:

- 1. The Companies will not pay for underpinning or grouting or any other repair technique performed below the existing foundation of the affected "principal building"; and
- 2. The Companies' payment for "sinkhole loss" to the "principal building" may be limited to the actual cash value of the loss to such property.

After the Insured has entered into a contract for performance of building stabilization or foundation repair, the Companies will pay the amounts necessary to begin and perform such repairs:

- 1. As the work is performed; and
- 2. As the expenses are incurred.

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If repair has begun and the Companies' professional engineer determines that the repairs will exceed the applicable Limit of Insurance, they will pay only the remaining portion of the applicable Limit of Insurance upon such determination.

The most they will pay for the total of all "sinkhole loss," including:

- 1. "Principal building" and the "principal building's" land stabilization; and
- 2. Foundation repair of the "principal building",

is the applicable Limit of Insurance shown in the Declarations on the affected building.

The Companies will pay for direct physical loss or damage to Business Personal Property shown in the Declarations, when the following apply:

- 1. The Business Personal Property is located within a "principal building"; and
- 2. The direct physical loss or damage results from or is caused by direct "sinkhole loss" that occurs during the policy period.

They will not pay for loss or damage to Business Personal Property if the loss or damage is excluded elsewhere in this policy.

Coverage for Business Personal Property caused by "sinkhole loss" does not include building repair, loss or damage to the building, stabilization of the building or land, foundation repair or other property not covered, excluded, or limited elsewhere in this policy.

- D) "Sinkhole loss" does not include:
 - 1. Sinking or collapse of land into man-made underground cavities; or
 - 2. Earthquake; or
 - Land or the replacement, rebuilding, restoration, or value of land except as provided under B.1. above and in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer.
- E) In order to prevent additional damage to the "principal building", the Insured must enter into a contract for the performance of building stabilization and foundation repairs in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer within 90 days after the Companies confirm coverage for "sinkhole loss" and notify the Insured of such coverage.

This time period tolls if either party invokes the neutral evaluation process, and begins again 10 days after the conclusion of the neutral evaluation process.

The stabilization and all other repairs to the "principal building" and Business Personal Property must be completed within 12 months after entering into the contract for repairs unless:

- 1. There is mutual agreement between the Insured and the Companies;
- 2. The claim is involved with the Neutral Evaluation Process;
- 3. The claim is in litigation; or
- 4. The claim is under appraisal or mediation.

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This Coverage Part applies when the Declarations shows a Limit of Insurance for the affected "principal building."

- F) After the Companies inspect the property, they may deny the claim with or without testing provided under Section 627.7072, Florida Statutes.
 - 1. The Insured may demand testing, which must be communicated to the Companies in writing, within 60 days after the Insured's receipt of the Companies' denial of the claim.
 - 2. The Insured shall pay 50% of the actual costs of the analyses and services or \$2,500, whichever is less.
 - 3. The Companies shall reimburse the Insured for costs in 2. above if the Companies' engineer or their geologist provides written certification that there is "sinkhole loss."
- G) If the Insured has submitted a sinkhole claim without good faith grounds for submitting such claim and such claim is not withdrawn prior to the Companies' ordering at the Insured's request, sinkhole analysis and services to investigate the claim, the Insured is required after the Companies obtain written certification that there is no "sinkhole activity", to reimburse the Companies for 50% of the actual costs, up to \$2,500, of the sinkhole analysis and services provided by a professional engineer or professional geologist to conduct testing to determine the cause of loss; pursuant to Sections 627.7072 and 627.7073, Florida Statutes.
- H) As a precondition for accepting payment for a "sinkhole loss," the Insured must file with the county clerk of court a copy of any sinkhole report which was prepared on the Insured's behalf or at their request.

The insured will bear the costs of filing and recording the sinkhole report.

- The Insured may not accept a "rebate" from any person performing repairs, pursuant to Section 627.707, Florida Statutes.
 - If the Insured receives a "rebate", coverage is void and they must refund the amount of the rebate to the Companies.
- J) With respect to coverage provided by this clause, the Earth Movement and/or Settlement exclusions do not apply.
- K) Neutral Evaluation Program With respect to a claim for alleged sinkhole loss, a neutral evaluation program is available to either party if a sinkhole report has been issued pursuant to Section 627.7073, Florida Statutes.
 - Following receipt by the Companies of a report from a professional engineer or professional geologist on the cause of loss and recommendations for land stabilization and repair of property, or if they deny the claim, they will notify the Insured of the Insured's right to participate in a neutral evaluation program administered by the Florida Department of Financial Services (hereinafter referred to as the Department).
 - 2. For alleged "sinkhole loss" to commercial residential properties, this program applies instead of any mediation procedure (if any) set forth elsewhere in this policy.
 - 3. The Insured or the Companies may file a request with the Department for neutral evaluation; the other party must comply with such request.

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4. The Companies will pay the reasonable costs associated with the neutral evaluation, regardless of which party makes the request.

However, if a party chooses to hire a court reporter or stenographer to contemporaneously record and document the neutral evaluation, that party shall bear such costs.

5. The neutral evaluator will be selected from a list maintained by the Department.

The neutral evaluator must be allowed reasonable access to the interior and exterior of the "principal building" to be evaluated or for which a claim has been made.

- 6. The recommendation of the neutral evaluator will not be binding on the Insured or the Companies.
- 7. Participation in the neutral evaluation program does not change the Insured's right to file suit against the Companies in accordance with any Suit Against Companies condition in this policy; except that the time for filing suit is extended for a period of:
 - a. 60 days following the conclusion of the neutral evaluation process; or
 - b. five years, whichever is later.
- Coverage for "sinkhole loss" under this clause does not increase the applicable Limit of Insurance.

Even if loss or damage qualifies under, or includes, both:

- 1. Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse (addressed elsewhere in the policy); and
- 2. "Sinkhole loss,"

only the lesser Limit of Insurance will apply to such loss or damage.

- M) Coverage for "sinkhole loss" under this clause does not include visible physical damage or "structural damage" to covered property or to the "principal building" including the foundation caused by "sinkhole", "sinkhole loss", or "sinkhole activity" occurring prior to the inception of this policy.
- N) With respect to coverage provided by this clause, the following is added:

Any claim, including, but not limited to, initial, supplemental, and reopened claims under this policy is barred unless notice of the claim is given to the Companies in accordance with the terms of the policy within 2 years after the Insured knew or reasonably should have known about the sinkhole loss.

- O) The following Definitions are added as respects to Florida Sinkhole Loss:
 - 1. "Principal building":
 - a. If the Companies are insuring Business Personal Property located within a building that they do not insure under this policy, "principal building" means:

The building including any attached garage located at the Business Personal Property's insured location.

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"Principal building" does not include property described in paragraphs b.1) through b.7) below.

b. If the Companies are insuring a building or structure, "principal building" means each insured building, including any attached garage.

"Principal building" does not include:

- Appurtenant structures connected to the "principal building" by a fence, utility line, open space, or breezeway;
- 2) Structures whose foundation is not part of or connected to the applicable "principal building" foundation;

These structures include, but are not limited to, screen enclosures, porches, lanais, carports, pools, pool decks, spas, gazebos, buildings that are not fully enclosed, buildings or structures constructed to be open to the weather, and other open sided or ancillary structures;

- 3) Driveways, sidewalks, decks or patios; including, but not limited to, walkways, pavement, fences and other similar property;
- 4) Structures and other property excluded or not covered elsewhere in the policy;
- Materials, equipment, supplies and temporary structures on or within 100 feet of the insured locations used for making additions, alterations or repairs to property other than the "principal building";
- 6) Temporary structures on or within 100 feet of the insured locations used for making additions, alterations or repairs to the "principal building"; or
- 7) Other buildings or garages whose foundation is not part of or connected to the applicable "principal building" foundation.
- "Primary structural member" means a structural element designed to provide support and stability for the vertical or lateral loads of the overall structure.
- 3. "Primary structural system" means an assemblage of "primary structural members."
- 4. "Structural damage" means when a "principal building", regardless of the date of its construction, has experienced the following:
 - a. Interior floor displacement or deflection in excess of acceptable variances as defined in ACI 117-90 or the Florida Building Code, which results in settlement related damage to the interior such that the interior building structure or members become unfit for service or represents a safety hazard as defined within the Florida Building Code;
 - b. Foundation displacement or deflection in excess of acceptable variances as defined in ACI 318-95 or the Florida Building Code, which results in settlement related damage to the "primary structural members" or "primary structural systems" that prevents those members or systems from supporting the loads and forces they were designed to support to the extent that stresses in those "primary structural members" or "primary structural systems" exceeds one and one-third the nominal strength allowed under the Florida Building Code for new buildings of similar structure, purpose, or location;

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- c. Damage that results in listing, leaning or buckling of the exterior load bearing walls or other vertical "primary structural members" to an extent that a plumb line passing through the center of gravity does not fall inside the middle one-third of the base as defined within the Florida Building Code;
- d. Damage that results in the building, or any portion of the building containing "primary structural members" or "primary structural systems", being significantly likely to imminently collapse because of the movement or instability of the ground within the influence zone of the supporting ground within the sheer plane necessary for the purpose of supporting such building as defined within the Florida Building Code; or
- e. Damage occurring on or after October 15, 2005, that qualifies as "substantial structural damage" as defined in the Florida Building Code.
- 5. "Rebate" manes remuneration, payment, gift, discount, or transfer of any item of value to the Insured by or on behalf of a person performing the repairs as an incentive or inducement to obtain repairs performed by that person.
- BB. Smoke means loss or damage ensuing from a sudden and accidental release of Smoke. The peril of Smoke does not include loss or damage caused by Smoke from agricultural smudging or industrial operations.
- CC.Special Flood Hazard Areas means areas of 100-year flooding as defined by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and shall only include those Flood Zones that are prefixed A or V.
- DD.Tier 1 and Tier 2: Shall be defined as all locations situated within Tier 1 or Tier 2 Counties, Parishes or Independent Cities as specified below:

State	Tier 1	Tier 2
AL	Baldwin Mobile	Covington Escambla Geneva Houston
СТ	Fairfield Middlesex New Haven New London	
DE	Sussex	Kent
FL	All FL counties	Not Applicable
GA	Bryan Camden Chatham Glynn Liberty Mcintosh	Brantley Charlton Effingham Long Wayne

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МА	Barnstable Bristol Dukes Essex Nantucket Norfolk Plymouth Suffolk	Middlesex
MD	Worcester	Calvert Dorchester St. Mary's Somerset Wilcomico
ME	Cumberland Hancock Knox Lincoln Sagadahoc Waldo Washington York	
MS	Hancock Harrison Jackson	George Pearl River Stone
NC	Beaufort Bertie Brunswick Camden Carteret Chowan	Bladen Columbus Craven Duplin Gates Hertford

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NH	Rockingham Strafford	
NJ	Atlantic Cape May Monmouth Ocean	Burlington Cumberland Essex Hudson Middlesex Union
NY	Kings Nassau Queens Richmond Suffolk	Bronx New York Westchester
RI	Newport Washington	Bristol Kent
SC	Beaufort Charleston Colleton Georgetown Horry Jasper	Berkeley Dillon Dorchester Florence Hampton Marion Willlamsburg
TX	Aransas Brazoria Calhoun Cameron Chambers Galveston Jefferson Kenedy Kleberg Matagorda Nueces	Bee Brooks Fort Bend Goliad Hardin Harris Hidalgo Jackson Jim Wells Liberty Live Oak

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- EE. Total Insurable Values (TIV): The Total Insurable Values shall include all Covered Property (Real & Personal Property) and Time Element values reported on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc.
- FF. Valuable Papers and Records means documents that are written, printed or otherwise inscribed, These include:
 - Books, manuscripts, abstracts, maps and drawings; film and other photographically produced records, such as slides and microfilm;
 - 2. Legal and financial agreements, such as deeds and mortgages;
 - 3. Addressograph plates; and
 - 4. Any electrically produced data, such as printouts, punched cards, tapes or discs,

Valuable Papers and Records does not mean money and securities and converted data, programs or instructions used in data processing operations, including the materials on which the data is stored.

GG.Vandalism and Malicious Mischief means willful and malicious damage to, or destruction of, Covered Property. Vandalism and Malicious Mischief does not include loss or damage caused by or resulting from theft, except for real property loss or damage caused by the breaking or exiting of burglars.

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HH.Warranty:

- "Warranty" means any provision of an insurance contract which has the effect of requiring, as a
 condition precedent of the taking effect of such contract or as a condition precedent of the
 Companies' liability hereunder, the existence of fact which tends to diminish, or the non-existence
 of a fact which tends to increase, the risk of the occurrence of loss or damage within the coverage
 of the contract.
- 2. A breach of warranty shall not void an insurance contract or defeat recovery hereunder unless such breach materially increases the risk of loss, damage or injury within the coverage of the contract. If the insurance contract specified two or more distinct kinds of loss, damage or injury which are within its coverage, a breach of warranty shall not void such contract or defeat recovery hereunder with respect to any kind of loss, damage or injury other than the kind or kinds to which such warranty relates and the risk of which is materially increased by the breach of such warranty.
- II. Windstorm or Hall: Direct action of wind or by the direct action of hail, whether accompanied by wind or not, but no liability is assumed under this peril for loss or damage caused by or resulting from frost or cold weather, ice (other than hail), snow or sleet, whether driven by wind or not.

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AMRISC CAT COVERED PROPERTY ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement modifies insurance provided by all insurance companies and Lloyd's of London (all hereinafter, the "Companies"), subject to the Contract Allocation Endorsement AR CA, under the following form (if attached to this policy):

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY COMPASS FORM

As used in this endorsement, the word "peril" is synonymous with "cause of loss"; and the term "limit of liability" is synonymous with "limit of insurance". The word "you" shall refer to the Insured.

As respects the Perils of Hurricane, Windstorm and Hail, the following is added to Section III.B., PROPERTY EXCLUDED in the Commercial Property Compass Form:

PROPERTY NOT COVERED

- 1. The Companies do not cover:
 - a. Other structures

The Companies do not cover other structures on the insured Location set apart from the Building by clear space. This includes structures connected to the Building or mobile home by only a fence, utility line or similar connection.

- b. Animals, birds, or fish, unless owned by others and boarded by you, or if owned by you, only as "stock" while inside a **Building** described on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc;
- Accounts, bank notes, bills, bullion, coins, currency, deeds, evidences of debt; letters of credit, tickets and stamps, manuscripts, medals, money, notes, bank notes, passports, personal records, or securities;
- d. Articles of gold, gold ware; gold-plated ware, silverware, silver-plated ware, platinum; or platinum ware, platinum-plated ware, pewter, pewter ware; or pewter-plated ware. This includes flatware, hollowware, tea sets, trays and trophies made of or including silver, gold, pewter or platinum.
- e. Aircraft and parts. Aircraft means any contrivance used or designed for flight, except model or hobby aircraft not used or designed to carry people or cargo; or if owned by you, only as "stock" while inside an insured **Building**;.
- f. Motor vehicles or all other motorized land conveyances; trailers on wheels. This includes:
 - (1) Their equipment and accessories; or
 - (2) Electronic apparatus that is designed to be operated solely by use of the power from the electrical system of motor vehicles or all other motorized land conveyances. Electronic apparatus includes:
 - (a) Accessories or antennas; or
 - (b) Tapes, wires, records, discs or other media for use with any electronic apparatus described in this item f.

The exclusion of property described in f(1) and f(2) above, applies only while the property is in or upon the vehicle or conveyance.

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The Companies do cover vehicles or conveyances, other than autos or vehicles you hold for sale, not subject to motor vehicle registration contained within an enclosed structure on the insured Location which are:

- (a) contained within an enclosed structure; and
- (b) used to service an insured Location; or
- (c) designed for assisting the handicapped; and
- (d) are self-propelled machines; and
- (e) are not autos or vehicles you hold for sale.
- g. Watercraft and their furnishings, other than rowboats and canoes out of water at the insured Location, unless:
 - (1) owned by you only as "stock" when removed from, out of, or not over water; and
 - (2) located in or within 100 feet of the insured Building.
- h. Data, including data stored in:
 - (1) Books of account, card index systems, drawings or other paper records; or
 - (2) Electronic data processing tapes, wires, records, drums, cells, discs, magnetic recording, storage or other software media.

However, the Companies do cover up to \$1,000 under item h.(2) the cost of blank or unexposed recording or storage media and of prerecorded computer programs available in the market. This limit does not increase the contents Limit of Liability.

If Electronic Data Processing is covered by this policy, this exclusion does not apply to the extent that coverage is provided under such extension.

- Credit cards or fund transfer cards;
- j. Business personal property while airborne, waterborne or in transit;
- k. Paint or waterproof material including stain, applied to the exterior of any Building or structure;
- 1. Pilings, piers, wharves, retaining walls, seawalls, bulkheads, beach or diving platforms or appurtenances, docks or boathouses;
- m. Trees, shrubs, plants, flowers, lawns, tee boxes, fairways, greens, landscaping, bunkers or sand traps, or artifical turf;
- n. Windmills, wind pumps or their towers, or smokestacks:
- o. Awnings, canopies or other roof like projection or covering, whether fabric or not, whether permanent or retractable;
- p. Steeples and fountains;
- q. Grain, hay, straw and other crops, crop silos or their contents;
- r. Bridges, boardwalks, trestles, catwalks, bleachers, dune walks, ramps, roadways, walks, decks, and patios and similar structures, or other paved or graveled surfaces, whether or not attached to the Building;
- s. Amusement equipment;
- t. Fabric windscreens on fences;

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- u. Any structure or attachment, whether attached or separate from the insured Building, where that structure's roof coverings are of fabric, thatch, lattice, or slats and similar material; or where that structure's exterior wall coverings are of fabric, thatch, lattice, or slats and similar material, and personal property within or on these structures;
- v. Slat houses, chickees, tiki huts, gazebos and pergolas or similar structures and personal property contained within or on these structures;
- w. Signs, scoreboards, radio or television antennas or aerials, satellite dishes (including lead-in wiring, masts or towers and their supports), fences, gates, fountains, statues, monuments, utility poles (including light fixtures), light poles, traffic lights and traffic signals.

However, the Companies do cover solar paneling and other similar water heating or electrical apparatus when:

- (1) outside the Building (including lead-in pipes, wiring, masts or towers and their supports), and
- (2) permanently installed, and
- (3) located on the insured Location, and
- (4) used for the service of the covered property.
- x. Land, including land on which the other structures are located.
- 2. The Companies do cover the following property if, and only if, it is described as separate and specific items on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc:
 - Any structure, whether attached or separate from the covered Building, where that structure's roof covering is of screen;
 - Signs, scoreboards, light poles, fences, gates, fountains, statues, monuments, artificial turf, bleachers, property walls and similar structures separating parcels of land;
 - c. Greenhouses, glasshouses, hothouses, open-sided sheds, carports, cabanas, gazebos, swimming pools, jacuzzis, hot tubs/spas, or similar structures, including their decking, but not:
 - (1) business personal property or contents contained within or on these structures, or
 - (2) when these structures are comprised of fabric, thatch, lattice, slats or similar material.
 - d. Enclosed garages, enclosed tool sheds, enclosed sheds, enclosed pump houses, enclosed boiler sheds, enclosed pool houses, enclosed air conditioning sheds, enclosed guardhouses, enclosed workshops, enclosed maintenance sheds, and the business personal property or contents contained within or on the structures;
 - e. Any structure, including the contents and business personal property contained within or on the structure, that is located in whole or in part over water;
 - f. Mobile homes, temporary **Buildings**, portable **Buildings**, travel trailers and similar structures or conveyances, (including business personal property contained in or on or pertaining to these structures or conveyances);
 - g. However, the Companies do not cover business personal property or contents of any structure or other property regardless of whether it is described as separate and specific item(s) in the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc, when;
 - (1) Such structure is comprised of fabric, thatch, lattice, slats or similar material; or
 - (2) Not covered as explained in other sections of this policy.
 - h. Self-supported, stand alone canopies.

LIMIT

As respects property covered by this Endorsement, the Companies' Limit of Liability shall be limited to the values shown on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc; however, in no event to exceed \$100,000 per Occurrence as respects all property combined.

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DEDUCTIBLE

As respects property covered by this Endorsement, the Deductible shall be equal to 10% of the total insurable values of the property covered by this endorsement, subject to a minimum deductible of \$100,000 per Occurrence.

This deductible shall be a separate deductible from any other deductible stated elsewhere in the policy, but only the largest minimum deductible shall apply.

DEFINITIONS

As used in this endorsement these words have the following meaning:

- 1. "Windstorm" means wind, wind gusts, tornadoes or cyclones which result in direct physical loss or damage to property.
- 2. "Hurricane" means:
 - a. Coverage for loss or damage caused by the peril of windstorm during a hurricane.
 - b. "Windstorm" for the purposes of subparagraph a. means wind, wind gusts, hail, rain, or tornadoes or cyclones caused by or resulting from a hurricane which results in direct physical loss or damage to property.
 - c. "Hurricane" for the purposes of subparagraphs a, and b, means a storm system that has been declared to be a hurricane by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service. The duration of the hurricane includes the time period, in the state of the insured Location:
 - (1) Beginning at the time of a hurricane watch or warning is issued by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service;
 - (2) Continuing for the time period during which the hurricane conditions exist; and
 - (3) Ending 72 hours following the termination of the last hurricane watch or hurricane warning issued by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

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LLOYD'S OF LONDON AMENDATORY

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY **CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S**, **LONDON**, THE FOLLOWING CLAUSES (SERVICE OF SUIT, APPLICABLE LAW, and SLC-3) SHALL APPLY:

Service of Suit Clause (U.S.A.) NMA 1998 4/24/86 (USA date)

It is agreed that in the event of the failure of the Underwriters hereon to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Underwriters hereon, at the request of the Insured (or Reinsured), will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of Underwriters' rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon

- 1. California Insureds:
 Foley & Lardner, LLP
 555 California Street, Suite 1700
 San Francisco, CA 94104-1520
 USA
- All other Insureds:
 Mendes and Mount
 750 Seventh Avenue
 New York, NY 10019-6829;
 USA

and that in any suit instituted against any one of them upon this contract, Underwriters will abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

The above-named are authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of Underwriters in any such suit and/or upon the request of the Insured (or Reinsured) to have a written undertaking to the Insured (or Reinsured) that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefor, Underwriters hereon hereby designate the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Insured (or Reinsured) or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance (or reinsurance), and hereby designate the above-named person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

APPLICABLE LAW (U.S.A.) LMA5021 9/14/2005 (USA date)

This Insurance shall be subject to the applicable state law to be determined by the court of competent jurisdiction as determined by the provisions of the Service of Suit Clause (USA).

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Lloyd's Certificate

This Insurance is effected with certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London.

This Certificate is issued in accordance with the limited authorization granted to the Correspondent by certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London whose syndicate numbers and the proportions underwritten by them can be ascertained from the office of the said Correspondent (such Underwriters being hereinafter called "Underwriters") and in consideration of the premium specified herein, Underwriters hereby bind themselves severally and not jointly, each for his own part and not one for another, their Executors and Administrators.

The Assured is requested to read this Certificate, and if it is not correct, return it immediately to the Correspondent for appropriate alteration.

All inquiries regarding this Certificate should be addressed to the following Correspondent:

SLC-3 (USA) NMA2868 (08/24/2000 - USA date)

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CERTIFICATE PROVISIONS

- 1. Signature Required. This Certificate shall not be valid unless signed by the Correspondent on the attached Declaration Page.
- 2. Correspondent Not Insurer (all states, except California). The Correspondent is not an Insurer hereunder and neither is nor shall be liable for any loss or claim whatsoever. The Insurers hereunder are those Underwriters at Lloyd's, London whose syndicate numbers can be ascertained as hereinbefore set forth. As used in this Certificate "Underwriters" shall be deemed to include incorporated as well as unincorporated persons or entities that are Underwriters at Lloyd's, London.
 - Correspondent Not Insurer (California). The Correspondent is not an Insurer of the insurance described herein and neither is nor shall be liable for any loss or claim whatsoever. The Insurers of such insurance are those Underwriters at Lloyd's, London, whose names can be ascertained as hereinbefore set forth. As used in this Certificate "Underwriters" shall be deemed to include incorporated as well as unincorporated persons or entities that are Underwriters at Lloyd's, London.
- 3. Cancellation (all states, except California). If this Certificate provides for cancellation and this Certificate is cancelled after the inception date, earned premium must be paid for the time the insurance has been in force.
 - Cancellation (California). If the insurance described herein provides for cancellation and if said insurance is cancelled after the inception date, earned premium must be paid for the time the insurance has been in force.
- 4. Service of Suit (all states, except California). It is agreed that in the event of the failure of Underwriters to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, Underwriters, at the request of the Assured, will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of Underwriters' rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States, It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon the firm or person named in item 6 of the attached Declaration Page, and that in any suit instituted against any one of them upon this contract, Underwriters will abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

The above-named are authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of Underwriters in any such suit and/or upon request of the Assured to give a written undertaking to the Assured that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefor, Underwriters hereby designate the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Assured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance, and hereby designate the above-mentioned as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

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Service of Suit Clause (California). In the event of the failure of Underwriters to pay any amount claimed to be due under the insurance described herein, Underwriters have agreed that, at the request of the Assured, they will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of Underwriters' rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. In any suit instituted against any one of them upon the insurance described herein, Underwriters have agreed to abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

Underwriters have further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon the firm or person named in item 6 on the attached Declaration Page. Underwriters have agreed that such firm or person is authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of Underwriters in any such suit and/or upon the request of the Assured to give a written undertaking to the Assured that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event that such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefor, Underwriters have designated the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Assured or any beneficiary arising out of the insurance described herein, and have designated the abovementioned as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or true copy thereof.

- 5. Assignment (all states, except California). This Certificate shall not be assigned either in whole or in part without the written consent of the Correspondent endorsed hereon.
 - **Assignment (California).** The insurance described herein shall not be assigned either in whole or in part without the written consent of the Correspondent endorsed hereon.
- 6. Attached Conditions Incorporated (all states, except California). This Certificate is made and accepted subject to all the provisions, conditions and warranties set forth herein, attached or endorsed, all of which are to be considered as incorporated herein.
 - Attached Conditions Incorporated (California). The insurance described in this Certificate is subject to all provisions, conditions and warranties set forth herein, attached, or endorsed, all of which are to be considered incorporated herein as further descriptive of the insurance the placement of which is evidenced by this Certificate.
- 7. Short Rate Cancellation (all states, except California). If the attached provisions provide for cancellation, the table below will be used to calculate the short rate proportion of the premium when applicable under the terms of cancellation.
 - Short Rate Cancellation (California). If the attached provisions provide for cancellation, the table below will be used to calculate the short rate proportion of the premium when applicable under the terms of cancellation. Premiums for cancellations pursuant to Paragraph 6 of the Notice on page 1 of this Certificate will be prorated.

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Short Rate Cancellation Table For Term of One Year (for all states, including California).

Days	Per Cent	Days	Per Cent	Days	Per Cent	Days	Per Cent
Insurance in	of one year	Insurance in	of one year	Insurance in	of one year	Insurance in	of one year
Force	Premium	Force	Premium	Force	Premium	Force	Premium
1	5%	66 - 69	,29%	154 - 156	53%	256 - 260	,
	6	70 - 73	30	157 - 160	54	261 - 264	78
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Rules applicable to insurance with terms less than or more than one year:

- A. If insurance has been in force for one year or less, apply the short rate table for annual insurance to the full annual premium determined as for insurance written for a term of one year.
- B. If insurance has been in force for more than one year:
 - 1. Determine full annual premium as for insurance written for a term of one year.
 - Deduct such premium from the full insurance premium, and on the remainder calculate the pro rata earned premium on the basis of the ratio of the length of time beyond one year the insurance has been in force to the length of time beyond one year for which the policy was originally written.
 - 3. Add premium produced in accordance with items (1) and (2) to obtain earned premium during full period insurance has been in force.
- 8. (California) The certificate is intended for use as evidence of the placement of the insurance described herein, in accordance with Section 1764 of the California Insurance Code.

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This Declaration Page is attached to and forms part of Certificate provisions (Form SLC-3 USA NMA2868)				
Previou	us No. * Authority Ref. No. * Certificate No. *			
	* As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
1,	Name and address of the Assured:			
	As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
2.	Effective from * to * both days at 12:01 a.m. standard time.			
	* As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
3.	Insurance is effective with certain UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON.			
	Percentage: As stated elsewhere on the Policy %			
4.	Amount * Coverage * Rate * Premium *			
	* As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
5. ·	Forms attached hereto and special conditions:			
	As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
6,	Service of Suit may be made upon:			
	As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
7.,	In the event of a claim, please notify the following:			
	As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
Dated	As stated elsewhere in the Policy by As stated elsewhere in the Policy			
	Correspondent			



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INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY AMENDATORY

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY **INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY**, THE FOLLOWING CLAUSES SHALL APPLY:

Service of Process Clause

1. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, Washington and Wyoming:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance,

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

2. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Alaska, Arizona, Idaho, Illinois, Nebraska, South Carolina and South Dakota:

Service of Process

The Director of Insurance of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Director of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

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3. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Kentucky, Louisiana and West Virginia:

Service of Process

The Secretary of State of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Secretary of State.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

4. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in New Mexico, New York and Ohio:

Service of Process

The Superintendent of Insurance of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Superintendent of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

5. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in California:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the State of California is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

John Oster 1990 North California Boulevard Suite 740 Walnut Creek, CA 94596

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as its agent in California to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

6. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Maine:

Service of Process

The Acting Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Maine is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

CT Corporation System One Portland Square Portland, ME 04101

as its agent in Maine to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Acting Superintendent of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

7. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Michigan;

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Michigan is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

The Corporation Company 30600 Telegraph Road Bingham Farms, MI 48025

as its agent in Michigan to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

8. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Minnesota:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Commerce of the State of Minnesota is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in Minnesota to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Commerce.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

9. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Missouri:

Service of Process

The Director of the Department of Insurance of the State of Missouri is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in Missouri to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Director of the Department of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

10. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Rhode Island;

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Rhode Island is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Ms. Sherry A. Goldin CT Corporation System 10 Weybosset Street Providence, RI 02903

as its agent in Rhode Island to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

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11. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Utah:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in Utah to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance or Lieutenant Governor.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

12. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Virginia;

Service of Process

The Clerk of the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Virginia is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in Virginia to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Clerk of the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

13. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Wisconsin:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance and the Department of Financial Institutions of the State of Wisconsin is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in Wisconsin to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance or the Department of Financial Institutions.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

All other terms and conditions of this policy remain unchanged.

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FRAUD NOTICE

Arkansas	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or
	benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty
	of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
Colorado	It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or
	information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or
	attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines,
	denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an
	insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading
	facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding
	or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement
	or award payable for insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado
	Division of insurance within the Department of Regulatory Agencies.
District of	WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the
Columbia	purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment
	and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information
	materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.
Florida	Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer
	files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or
	misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.
Kansas	A "fraudulent insurance act" means an act committed by any person who, knowingly
	and with intent to defraud, presents, causes to be presented or prepares with
	knowledge or belief that it will be presented to or by an insurer, purported insurer,
	broker or any agent thereof, any written, electronic, electronic impulse, facsimile,
	magnetic, oral, or telephonic communication or statement as part of, or in support of, an
	application for the issuance of, or the rating of an insurance policy for personal or
	commercial insurance, or a claim for payment or other benefit pursuant to an insurance
	policy for commercial or personal insurance which such person knows to contain
	materially false information concerning any fact material thereto; or conceals, for the
77	purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto.
Kentucky	Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other
	person files an application for insurance containing any materially false information or
	conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material
Louisiana	thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or
Louisiana	benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty
	of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
Maine	It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an
Mailic	insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include
	imprisonment, fines, or denial of insurance benefits.
Maryland	Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment
maryiana	of a loss or benefit or who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an
	application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and
	confinement in prison.
New Jersey	Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an application for an
	Insurance policy is subject to criminal and civil penalties.
New Mexico	ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM
	FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE
,	INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME
	AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES.
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New York	General: All applications for commercial insurance, other than automobile insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.
	All applications for automobile insurance and all claim forms: Any person who knowingly makes or knowingly assists, abets, solicits or conspires with another to make a false report of the theft, destruction, damage or conversion of any motor vehicle to a law enforcement agency, the department of motor vehicles or an insurance company, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the value of the subject motor vehicle or stated claim for each violation.
	Fire: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance containing any false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.
	The proposed insured affirms that the foregoing information is true and agrees that these applications shall constitute a part of any policy issued whether attached or not and that any willful concealment or misrepresentation of a material fact or circumstances shall be grounds to rescind the insurance policy.
Ohio	Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.
Oklahoma	WARNING : Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.
Pennsylvania	All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties. Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure or defraud any insurer files an application or claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading
	information shall, upon conviction, be subject to imprisonment for up to seven years and the payment of a fine of up to \$15,000.
Puerto Rico	Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation by a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances [be] present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

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Rhode Island	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.	
Tennessee	All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Workers' Compensation It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.	
	Workers' Compensation: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to any party to a workers' compensation transaction for the purpose of committing fraud. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.	
Utah	Workers' Compensation: Any person who knowingly presents false or fraudulent underwriting information, files or causes to be filed a false or fraudulent claim for disability compensation or medical benefits, or submits a false or fraudulent report or billing for health care fees or other professional services is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.	
Virginia	It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.	
Washington	It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.	
West Virginia	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.	
All Other States	Any person who knowingly and willfully presents false information in an application for insurance may be guilty of insurance fraud and subject to fines and confinement in prison. (In Oregon, the aforementioned actions may constitute a fraudulent insurance act which may be a crime and may subject the person to penalties).	

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

QBE INSURANCE COMPANY SERVICE OF PROCESS ENDORSEMENT

When a cause of action arises in any of the states listed below, service of process applies as shown below for that state, As used in this endorsement, "the Company" shall mean QBE Specialty Insurance Company.

ALABAMA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Alabama as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 2 North Jackson Street, Suite 605, Montgomery, AL 36104 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

ALASKA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Alaska under this contract, the Company may be sued. The Company appoints the Director of Insurance for the State of Alaska as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Director, or their successors in office, shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 9360 Glacier Highway, Suite 202, Juneau, AK 99801 as the person to whom the Director is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

ARIZONA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Arizona under this contract, QBE Specialty Insurance Company (hereafter referred to as "the Company") may be sued in the circuit court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Arizona by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 2390 East Camelback Road, Phoenix, AZ 85016 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process,

ARKANSAS Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Arkansas under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Arkansas and his successors in office by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 124 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 1900, Little Rock, AR 72201 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

CALIFORNIA Service of Suit Clause

We hereby appoint Nancy Flores, c/o C.T. Corporation System, 818 West 7th Street, 2nd Floor, Los Angeles, California, 90017, as our true and lawful attorney in and for the State of California, upon whom all lawful process may be served in any action, "suit" or proceeding instituted in California by or on behalf of any insured or beneficiary against us arising out of this insurance policy, provided a copy of any process, "suit", complaint or summons is sent by certified or registered mail to: 88 Pine Street – 16th Floor, New York, NY 10005.

COLORADO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Colorado as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 1675 Broadway, Suite 1200, Denver, CO 80202 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

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CONNECTICUT Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Connecticut as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, One Corporate Center, Floor 11, Hartford, CT 06103 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

DELAWARE Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Delaware, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates The Corporation Trust Company, Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, DE 19801 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

FLORIDA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Chief Financial Officer of the Office of Insurance Regulation, as its agent upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1200 South Pine Island Road, Plantation, FL 33324 as the person to whom the Chief Financial Officer shall mail process.

GEORGIA Service of Process

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the superior court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Georgia Commissioner of Insurance as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1201 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, GA 30361 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

HAWAII Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Hawaii as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, Inc., 1136 Union Mall, Suite 301, Honolulu, HI 96813 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

IDAHO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Idaho under this contract, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Idaho. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 921 S. Orchard Street, Suite G, Boise, ID 83705 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

ILLINOIS Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Director of the Illinois Department of Insurance and his successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 208 South LaSalle Street, Suite 814, Chicago, IL 60604 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

INDIANA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Indiana under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Indiana by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 150 West Market Street, Suite 800, Indianapolis, IN 46204 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

KANSAS Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Kansas under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon

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the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Kansas and his successor or successors in office. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, Inc., 112 S.W. Seventh Street, Suite 3C, Topeka, KS 66603 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

KENTUCKY Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Kentucky under this contract, the Company may be sued in the circuit court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 306 West Main Street, Suite 512, Frankfort, KY 40601 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

LOUISIANA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Louisiana under this contract, the Company may be sued in the district court of the parish in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 5615 Corporate Boulevard, Suite 400B, Baton Rouge, LA 70808 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

MAINE Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in this State under this policy, the Company may be sued in the Superior Court. Service of legal process against the Company may be made in any such action by service of two copies upon the designated agent. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1536 Main Street, Readfield, ME 04355 as the agent.

MARYLAND Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Maryland under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maryland by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Trust Incorporated, 351 West Camden Street, Baltimore, MD 21201 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MASSACHUSETTS Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Massachusetts, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 155 Federal Street, Suite 700, Boston, MA 02110 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MICHIGAN Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Michigan under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon Director of Insurance, c/o Resident Agent, of the State of Michigan by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 30600 Telegraph Road, Suite 2345, Bingham Farms, MI 48025 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MINNESOTA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Minnesota under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Commerce of the State of Minnesota by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, Inc., 100 South 5th Street, Suite 1075, Minneapolis, MN 55402 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MISSISSIPPI Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Mississippi, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 645 Lakeland East Drive, Suite 101, Flowood, MS 39232 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MISSOURI Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Missouri under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Missouri and his successors in office by the clerk of the court in which

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the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 120 South Central Avenue, Clayton, MO 63105 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

MONTANA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Montana, as its attorney for acceptance of the service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 208 North Broadway, Suite 313, Billings, MT 59101 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

NEBRASKA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Nebraska under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Nebraska. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 5601 South 59th Street, Lincoln, NE 68516 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

NEVADA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Nevada under this contract, the Company may be sued in a district court of Nevada. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Nevada or the Commissioner's authorized representative. The Company further designates The Corporation Trust Company of Nevada, 311 South Division Street, Carson City, NV 89703 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

NEW HAMPSHIRE Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in New Hampshire under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of New Hampshire by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 9 Capitol Street, Concord, NH 03301 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

NEW MEXICO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in New Mexico under this contract, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New Mexico by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates Registered Agent: C T Corporation System, 123 East Marcy, Santa Fe, NM 87501 as the person to whom the Superintendent shall mail process.

NEW YORK Service of Process Clause

QBE Specialty Insurance Company (hereafter referred to as "the Company") pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 41, promulgated by New York (11 NYCRR 27.16) by issuance of this policy hereby constitutes and appoints the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York as its true and lawful attorney upon whom all lawful process may be served in any action, suit, or proceeding instituted in this State by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary against the Company arising out of this policy of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 111 Eighth Avenue, 13th Floor, New York, NY 10011 as the person to whom the Superintendent shall mail process.

NORTH CAROLINA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of North Carolina, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 150 Fayetteville Street, Box 1011, Raleigh, NC 27601 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

OHIO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Ohio under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 1300 East 9th Street, Cleveland, OH 44114 as the person to whom the Superintendent shall mail process.

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OKLAHOMA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Oklahoma under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Oklahoma by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 1833 South Morgan Road, Oklahoma City, OK 73128 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

OREGON Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Oregon under this contract, the Company may be sued in the circuit court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company further designates: CT Corporation System, 388 State Street, Suite 420, Salem, OR 97301 as the person to whom the process shall be mailed.

PENNSYLVANIA Service of Process Clause

It is agreed that in the event of the failure of the Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) herein to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) herein, at the request of the Insured (or reinsured), will submit to the jurisdiction of any court of competent jurisdiction within the United States of America and will comply with all requirements necessary to give such court jurisdiction, and all matters arising hereunder shall be determined in accordance with the law and practice of such court. It is further agreed that in any such action instituted against any one of them upon this contract, Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal. Service of process shall be made pursuant to the procedures provided by 42 Pa.C.S. Ch. 53 Subch. B (relating to interstate and international procedure). When making service of process by mail, such process shall be mailed to: CT Corporation System, 116 Pine Street, Suite 320, Harrisburg, PA 17101. The above-named is authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of the Insured(s) or Underwriter(s) in any such action or upon the request of the insured (or reinsured) to give a written undertaking to the insured (or reinsured) that it or they will enter a general appearance for the Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) in the event such an action shall be instituted. Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States of America, which makes provisions therefor, the Insured(s) or Underwriter(s) hereby designates the Superintendent. Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute or his successor or successors in office, as the true and lawful attorney upon whom any lawful process may be served in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured (or reinsured) or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of his contract of insurance (or reinsurance), and hereby designates the above-named as the person on whom such process or a true copy thereof shall be served.

RHODE ISLAND Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Rhode Island under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 450 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Suite 7A, East Providence, RI 02914 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

SOUTH DAKOTA Service of Process Clause

Any cause of action against the Company arising in South Dakota under this policy shall be brought in the circuit court for the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of legal process against the Company may be made in any such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota and his successors in office. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 319 South Coteau Street, Pierre, SD 57501 as the person to whom the Director shall mail a copy of the process. The copy shall be mailed by prepaid registered or certified mail with return receipt requested. The Company shall have thirty days from the date of service upon the Director within which to plead, answer, or otherwise defend the action.

TENNESSEE Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Tennessee, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 800 S. Gay Street, Suite 2021, Knoxville, TN 37929-9710 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

TEXAS Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Texas as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1999 Bryan Street, Suite 900, Dallas, TX 75201 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

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UTAH Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah, as its agent upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1108 East South Union Avenue, Midvale, UT 84047 as the person to whom the Commissioner or Lieutenant Governor shall mail process.

VIRGINIA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the clerk of the Commission of the State of Virginia as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 4701 Cox Road, Suite 285, Glen Allen, VA 23060 as the person to whom the clerk of the Commission shall mail process.

WASHINGTON Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Washington under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Washington by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, Inc., 505 Union Ave. S.E., Suite 120, Olympia, WA 98501 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

WEST VIRGINIA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in West Virginia under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 5400 D Big Tyler Road, Charleston, WV 25313 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

WISCONSIN Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Wisconsin under this policy the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Wisconsin. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 8020 Excelsior Drive, Suite 200, Madison, WI 53717 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

WYOMING Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Wyoming, as its attorney for acceptance of the service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1712 Pioneer Avenue, Suite 120, Cheyenne, WY 82001 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

All other terms and conditions of this policy remain unchanged.

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STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY AMENDATORY

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY **STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY**, THE FOLLOWING CLAUSES SHALL APPLY:

Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause

1. The following Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause applies to all policies written in Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia or Wyoming:

Service Of Suit

In the event of failure of the Company to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company, at the request of the "Insured", will submit to the jurisdiction of a court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this condition constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any court of competent jurisdiction in the United States to remove an action to a United States District Court or to seek a transfer of a case to another court as permitted by the laws of the United States or any state in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon General Counsel, Law Department, Steadfast Insurance Company, 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, or his or her representative, and that in any suit instituted against the Company upon this policy, the Company will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory, or district of the United States which makes provisions therefore, the Company hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner, or Director of Insurance, or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his or her successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the "Insured" or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this policy of insurance and hereby designates the above named General Counsel as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

In Witness Clause

In return for the payment of premium, and subject to the terms of the policy, the Company agrees with the "Insured" to provide insurance as stated in this policy. This policy shall not be valid unless signed by the duly authorized Representative of the Company.

In Witness Whereof, this Company has executed and attested these presents, and where required by law, has caused this policy to be signed by its duly authorized Representative.

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2. The following Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause applies to all policies written in Arizona, Virginia or Washington:

Service Of Suit

In the event of failure of the Company to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company, at the request of the "Insured", will submit to the jurisdiction of a court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this condition constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any court of competent jurisdiction in the United States to remove an action to a United States District Court or to seek a transfer of a case to another court as permitted by the laws of the United States or any state in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon General Counsel, Law Department, Steadfast Insurance Company, 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, or his or her representative, and that in any suit instituted against the Company upon this policy, the Company will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory, or district of the United States which makes provisions therefore, the Company hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner, or Director of Insurance, or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his or her successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the "Insured" or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this policy of insurance and hereby designates the above named General Counsel as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

In Witness Clause

In return for the payment of premium, and subject to the terms of the policy, the Company agrees with the "Insured" to provide insurance as stated in this policy.

In Witness Whereof, the Company has executed and attested these presents, and where required by law, has caused this policy to be signed by its duly authorized Representative.

3. The following Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause applies to all policies written in California:

Service Of Suit

In the event of failure of the Company to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company, at the request of the "Insured", will submit to the jurisdiction of a court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this condition constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any court of competent jurisdiction in the United States to remove an action to a United States District Court or to seek a transfer of a case to another court as permitted by the laws of the United States or any state in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon General Counsel, Law Department, Steadfast Insurance Company, 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, or his or her representative, and that in any suit instituted against the Company upon this policy, the Company will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory, or district of the United States which makes provisions therefore, the Company hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner, or Director of Insurance, or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his or her successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the "Insured" or any beneficiary hereunder

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arising out of this policy of insurance and hereby designates Carpenter & Moore Insurance Services, Inc., 111 Pine Street, Suite 777, San Francisco, California 94111 as whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

In Witness Clause

In return for the payment of premium, and subject to the terms of the policy, the Company agrees with the "Insured" to provide insurance as stated in this policy. This policy shall not be valid unless signed by the duly authorized Representative of the Company.

In Witness Whereof, the Company has executed and attested these presents, and where required by law, has caused this policy to be signed by its duly authorized Representative.

4. The following Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause applies to all policies written in Delaware:

Service Of Suit

In the event of failure of the Company to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company, at the request of the "Insured", will submit to the jurisdiction of a court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this condition constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any court of competent jurisdiction in the United States to remove an action to a United States District Court or to seek a transfer of a case to another court as permitted by the laws of the United States or any state in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon General Counsel, Law Department, Zurich American Insurance Company of Illinois, 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, or his or her representative, and that in any suit instituted against the Company upon this policy, the Company will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory, or district of the United States which makes provisions therefore, the Company hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner, or Director of Insurance, or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his or her successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the "Insured" or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this policy of insurance and hereby designates the above named General Counsel as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof,

In Witness Clause

In return for the payment of premium, and subject to the terms of the policy, the Company agrees with the "Insured" to provide insurance as stated in this policy. This policy shall not be valid unless signed by the duly authorized Representative of the Company.

In Witness Whereof, this Company has executed and attested these presents, and where required by law, has caused this policy to be signed by its duly authorized Representative,

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5. The following Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause applies to all policies written in District of Columbia:

Service Of Suit

In the event of failure of the Company to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company, at the request of the "Insured", will submit to the jurisdiction of a court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this condition constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any court of competent jurisdiction in the United States to remove an action to a United States District Court or to seek a transfer of a case to another court as permitted by the laws of the United States or any state in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon General Counsel, Law Department, Steadfast Insurance Company, 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, or his or her representative, and that in any suit instituted against the Company upon this policy, the Company will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory, or district of the United States which makes provisions therefore, the Company hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner, or Director of Insurance, or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his or her successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the "Insured" or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this policy of insurance and hereby designates Douglas A. Henry, c/o CT Corporation, 1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20005 as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

In Witness Clause

In return for the payment of premium, and subject to the terms of the policy, the Company agrees with the "Insured" to provide insurance as stated in this policy. This policy shall not be valid unless signed by the duly authorized Representative of the Company.

In Witness Whereof, this Company has executed and attested these presents, and where required by law, has caused this policy to be signed by its duly authorized Representative.

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Disclosure Statement

It is our pleasure to present the enclosed policy to you for presentation to your customer.

INSTRUCTION TO AGENT OR BROKER:

WE REQUIRE THAT YOU TRANSMIT THE ATTACHED/ENCLOSED DISCLOSURE STATEMENT TO THE CUSTOMER WITH THE POLICY.

Once again, thank you for your interest, and we look forward to meeting your needs and those of your customers.

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OFAC Notice and Sanction Limitation Clauses

Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC") Regulations

Advisory notice to policyholders regarding the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC") regulations

No coverage is provided by this policyholder notice nor can it be construed to replace any provisions of your policy. You should read your policy and review your declarations page for complete information on the coverages you are provided.

This notice provides information concerning possible impact on your insurance coverage due to directives issued by the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC").

Please read this Notice carefully.

OFAC administers and enforces sanctions policy based on Presidential declarations of "national emergency". OFAC has identified and listed numerous:

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- Front organizations;
- Terrorists;
- Terrorist organizations; and
- Narcotics traffickers;

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In accordance with OFAC regulations, if it is determined that you or any other insured, or any person or entity claiming the benefits of this insurance has violated U.S. sanctions law or is a Specially Designated National and Blocked Person, as identified by OFAC, this insurance will be considered a blocked or frozen contract and all provisions of this insurance are immediately subject to OFAC restrictions. When an insurance policy is considered to be such a blocked or frozen contract, no payments or premium refunds may be made without authorization from OFAC. Other limitations on premiums and payments also apply.

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Sanction Limitation and Exclusion Clause

No (re)insurer shall be deemed to provide cover and no (re)insurer shall be liable to pay any claim or provide any benefit hereunder to the extent that the provision of such cover, payment of such claim or provision of such benefit would expose that (re)insurer to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom or United States of America.

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VARIOUS COMPANIES' SERVICE OF SUIT CLAUSES

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY:

GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; OR INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANNOVER SE; OR LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; OR UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; OR PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICABLE CLAUSES SHALL APPLY TO THE INDICATED COMPANY(IES), PROVIDED THAT COMPANY IS PARTICIPATING ON THE POLICY:

Service of Suit Clause

It is agreed that in the event of the failure of the Company hereon to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company hereon, at the request of the Insured (or Reinsured), will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon:

General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona

One Seaport Plaza 199 Water Street New York, NY 10038-3526 Attn.: Henry Klecan, CEO

With copy to:
One Seaport Plaza
199 Water Street
New York, NY 10038-3526
Attn.: Maxine Verne, General Legal Counsel,

International Insurance Company of Hannover SE

Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP 1177 Avenue of the Americas, 41st Floor New York, NY 10036-2714 Attn.: Andrea Best

Lexington Insurance Company

100 Summer Street Boston, MA 02110 Facsimile: (866) 753-8411

Attn.: Division Executive, Commercial Property

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With copies to:

AIG Property Casualty U.S. 175 Water Street - 18th Floor New York, NY 10038 Facsimile: (212) 458-7080

Attn.: General Counsel

Lexington Insurance Company 100 Summer Street, #2000 Boston, MA 02110 Facsimile: (617) 772-4588

Attn.: General Counsel

United Specialty Insurance Company

1900 L. Don Dodson Drive Bedford, Texas 76021 Attn.: Terry L. Ledbetter

and that in any suit instituted against any one of them upon this contract, the Company will abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

and

The above-named are authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of the Company in any such suit and/or upon the request of the Insured (or Reinsured) to have a written undertaking to the Insured (or Reinsured) that they will enter a general appearance upon the Company's behalf in the event such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefore, the Company hereon hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Insured (or Reinsured) or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance (or reinsurance), and hereby designate the above-named person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

AS RESPECTS PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY ONLY:

Service of Process Clause

We designate the Superintendent of Insurance, Insurance Commissioner, Director of Insurance, or other officer specified by law, pursuant to the laws of the State where this policy is delivered, as our true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted in the State in which this policy is delivered, by, or on behalf of, the Named Insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this Policy. We designate the General Counsel of The Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company, 555 College Road East, Princeton, New Jersey 08543 as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or true copy thereof.

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Various provisions in this policy restrict coverage. Read the entire policy carefully to determine rights, duties and what is and is not covered.

Throughout this policy the words "you" and "your" refer to the First Named Insured shown in the Declarations, The words "we", "us" and "our" refer to the Company providing this insurance,

Some words and phrases that appear in bold face or quotation marks have special meaning. Refer to Definitions,

Coverage under this Coverage Form is subject to the following SCHEDULE:

SECTION 1 - COMPUTER ATTACK

\$100,000 **Computer Attack Limit**

Annual Aggregate

Sublimits

Data Re-creation \$5,000 Loss of Business \$10,000 **Public Relations** \$5,000

Per Occurrence

Computer Attack Deductible

\$10,000

Per Occurrence

SECTION 2 - NETWORK SECURITY LIABILITY

Network Security Liability Limit

\$100,000

Annual Aggregate

Network Security Liability Deductible \$10,000

Per Occurrence

Network Security Liability Optional Coverage 3rd Party Business Information Included

SECTION 1 - COMPUTER ATTACK

A. COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS – SECTION 1

This Computer Attack coverage applies only if all of the following conditions are met:

- 1. There has been a "computer attack"; and
- 2. Such "computer attack" is first discovered by you during the policy period for which this Coverage Form is applicable; and
- 3. Such "computer attack" is reported to us as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date it is first discovered by you.

B. COVERAGE – SECTION 1

If all three of the conditions listed above in COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS - SECTION 1 have been met, then we will provide you the following coverages for loss directly arising from such "computer attack".

1. Data Restoration

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "data restoration costs".

2. Data Re-creation

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "data re-creation costs".

3. System Restoration

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We will pay your necessary and reasonable "system restoration costs".

4. Loss of Business

We will pay your actual "business income loss" and your necessary and reasonable "extra expenses".

5. Public Relations

If you suffer a covered "business income loss", we will pay for the services of a professional public relations firm to assist you in communicating your response to the "computer attack" to the media, the public and your customers, clients or members.

C. LIMITS – SECTION 1

The most we will pay under Computer Attack coverage is the Computer Attack Limit indicated in the SCHEDULE. If no limit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Computer Attack coverage will be considered to have a limit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The most we will pay under Data Re-creation coverage for loss (including "business income loss" and "extra expense" related to data re-creation activities) arising from any one "computer attack" is the Data Re-creation Sublimit indicated in the SCHEDULE. This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Computer Attack Limit. If no sublimit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Data Re-creation coverage will be considered to have a sublimit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The most we will pay under Loss of Business coverage for loss arising from any one "computer attack" is the Loss of Business Sublimit indicated in the SCHEDULE. This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Computer Attack Limit. If no sublimit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Loss of Business coverage will be considered to have a sublimit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The most we will pay under Public Relations coverage for loss arising from any one "computer attack" is the Public Relations Sublimit indicated in the SCHEDULE. This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Computer Attack Limit. If no sublimit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Public Relations coverage will be considered to have a sublimit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The Computer Attack Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for the total of all loss covered under Section 1 arising out of all "computer attack" events which are first discovered by you during the present annual policy period. This limit applies regardless of the number of "computer attack" events occurring during that period.

A "computer attack" may be first discovered by you in one policy period but it may cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "computer attack" will be subject to the Computer Attack Limit applicable to the policy period when the "computer attack" was first discovered by you.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 1

The Computer Attack coverage is subject to the Computer Attack Deductible indicated in the SCHEDULE for this Coverage Form. You shall be responsible for the applicable deductible amount as respects loss arising from each "computer attack" covered under this Coverage Form.

SECTION 2 - NETWORK SECURITY LIABILITY

A. COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS - SECTION 2

This Network Security Liability coverage applies only if all of the following conditions are met:

- 1. You first receive notice of a "network security liability suit" during the policy period for which this Coverage Form is applicable or any Extended Reporting Periods; and
- 2. Such "network security liability suit" is reported to us as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date it is first received by you.

B. COVERAGE - SECTION 2

If both of the conditions listed above in COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS - SECTION 2 have been met, then we will provide you the following coverages for loss directly arising from such "network security liability suit".

1. Defense

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "network security liability defense costs".

2. Settlement Costs

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "network security liability settlement costs",

C. LIMITS - SECTION 2

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Except for post-judgment interest, the most we will pay under Network Security Liability coverage is the Network Security Liability Limit indicated in the SCHEDULE. If no limit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Network Security Liability coverage will be considered to have a limit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The Network Security Liability Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for the total of all loss covered under Section 2 (other than post-judgment interest) arising out of all "network security liability suits" of which you first receive notice during the present annual policy period or any Extended Reporting Periods. This limit applies regardless of the number of "network security liability suits" of which you first receive notice during that period.

You may first receive notice of a "network security liability suit" in one policy period but it may cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "network security liability suit" (other than post-judgment interest) will be subject to the Network Security Liability Limit applicable to the policy period when notice of the "network security liability suit" was first received by you.

The Network Security Liability Limit for the Extended Reporting Periods (if applicable) shall be part of, and not in addition to, the Network Security Liability Limit for the immediately preceding policy period.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 2

The Network Security Liability coverage is subject to the Network Security Liability Deductible indicated in the SCHEDULE for this Coverage Form. You shall be responsible for the applicable deductible amount as respects loss arising from each "network security liability suit" covered under this Coverage Form.

EXCLUSIONS, ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS AND DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL SECTIONS

A. EXCLUSIONS

We will not pay for costs or loss based upon, arising out of or resulting from the following:

- 1. Loss to the internet, an internet service provider, or any computer or computer system that is not owned or leased by you and operated under your control.
- 2. Costs to research or correct any deficiency.
- Any fines or penalties.
- Any criminal investigations or proceedings.
- 5. Any threat, extortion or blackmail. This includes, but is not limited to, ransom payments and private security assistance.
- 6. Your intentional or willful complicity in a covered loss event or your "reckless disregard" for the security of your computer system or data.
- Any criminal, fraudulent or dishonest act, error or omission, or any intentional or knowing violation of the law by you.
- 8. Any "computer attack" occurring prior to the first inception of this CyberOne Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Coverage Form.
- 9. That part of any "network security liability suit" seeking any non-monetary relief.
- 10. Any "network security liability suit" arising from a propagation of malware, denial of service attack, or if applicable, loss, release or disclosure of business data that occurred prior to the first inception of this Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Coverage Form.
- 11. The propagation or forwarding of malware, including viruses, worms, Trojans, spyware and keyloggers in connection with hardware or software created, produced or modified by you for sale, lease or license to third parties.
- 12. Seizure or destruction of property by order of governmental authority.
- 13. Nuclear reaction or radiation or radioactive contamination, however caused.
- 14. War and military action including any of the following and any consequence of any of the following:
 - a. War, including undeclared or civil war;
 - b. Warlike action by a military force, including action in hindering or defending against an actual or expected attack, by any government, sovereign or other authority using military personnel or other agents; or
 - c. Insurrection, rebellion, revolution, usurped power, or action taken by governmental authority in hindering or defending against any of these.
- 15. Bodily harm or injury, sickness, disease, disability, humiliation, shock, fright, mental anguish or mental injury,

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including care, loss of services or death resulting from any of these at any time.

- 16. Physical injury to or destruction of tangible property including all resulting loss of use; or loss of use of tangible property that is not physically injured.
- 17. Failure or interruption of or damage to the internet or internet service provider.

B. CONDITIONS

The following conditions apply in addition to the Common Policy Conditions.

1. Abandonment

There can be no abandonment of any property to us.

2. Concealment or Fraud

This policy is void if you have intentionally concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance relating to this insurance.

3. Coverage Territory

The "computer attack" must involve a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or leased by you and operated under your control within the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and Puerto Rico.

The "network security liability suit" must be brought in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, Puerto Rico or Canada.

4. Due Diligence

You agree to use due diligence to prevent and mitigate costs covered under this Coverage Form. This includes, but is not limited to, complying with reasonable and industry-accepted protocols for:

- a. Providing and maintaining appropriate computer and internet security; and
- b. Maintaining and updating at appropriate intervals backups of computer data.

5. Duties in the Event of a "Computer Attack"

You must see that the following are done in the event of a "computer attack":

- a. Notify the police if a law may have been broken.
- b. Give us prompt notice of the "computer attack". As noted in Section 1 A.3., you must report the "computer attack" to us within 60 days of the date you first discover it.
- c. As soon as possible, give us a description of how, when and where the "computer attack" occurred.
- d. Take all reasonable steps to protect computers or other electronic hardware. If feasible, preserve evidence of the "computer attack".
- e. Permit us to inspect the property and records proving the "computer attack".
- f. If requested, permit us to question you under oath at such times as may be reasonably required about any matter relating to this insurance or your claim, including your books and records. In such event, your answers must be signed.
- g. Send us a signed, sworn statement containing the information we request to investigate the claim. You must do this within 60 days after our request. We will supply you with the necessary forms.
- h. Cooperate with us in the investigation or settlement of the claim.

6. Duties in the Event of a "Network Security Liability Suit"

- a. If a "network security liability suit" is brought against you, you must:
 - 1. Immediately record the specifics of the "network security liability suit" and the date received; and
 - 2. Provide us with written notice, as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date the "network security liability suit" is first received by you.
 - 3. Immediately send us copies of any demands, notices, summonses or legal papers received in connection with the "network security liability suit";
 - 4. Authorize us to obtain records and other information;
 - 5. Cooperate with us in the investigation, settlement or defense of the "network security liability suit";
 - 6. Assist us, upon our request, in the enforcement of any right against any person or organization which may be liable to you because of loss to which this insurance may also apply; and
 - 7. Not take any action, or fail to take any required action, that prejudices your rights or our rights with respect to such "network security liability suit".

7. Extended Reporting Periods

- a. You shall have the right to the Extended Reporting Periods described in this section, in the event that:
 - 1. You or we cancel this CyberOne coverage;

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- 2. You or we refuse to renew this CyberOne coverage; or
- We renew this CyberOne coverage on an other than a claims-made basis or with a retroactive date later than the date of the first inception of this Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Coverage Form;
- b. If an event as specified in Paragraph a, has occurred, you shall have the right to the following:
 - An Automatic Extended Reporting Period of 30 days after the effective date of cancellation or nonrenewal
 at no additional premium in which to give to us written notice of a "network security liability suit" of which
 you first receive notice during said Automatic Extended Reporting Period for any propagation of malware,
 denial of service attack, or if applicable, loss, release or disclosure of business data occurring before the
 end of the coverage period for this CyberOne coverage and which is otherwise covered by this CyberOne
 coverage; and
 - 2. Upon payment of an additional premium of 100% of the full annual premium applicable to this CyberOne coverage, a Supplemental Extended Reporting Period of 1 year immediately following the effective date of cancellation or nonrenewal in which to give to us written notice of a "network security liability suit" of which you first receive notice during said Supplemental Extended Reporting Period for any propagation of malware, denial of service attack, or if applicable, loss, release or disclosure of business data occurring before the end of the coverage period for this CyberOne coverage and which is otherwise covered by this CyberOne coverage.

To obtain the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period, you must request it in writing and pay the additional premium due, within 30 days of the effective date of cancellation or nonrenewal. The additional premium for the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period shall be fully earned at the inception of the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period. If we do not receive the written request as required, you may not exercise this right at a later date.

This insurance, provided during the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period, is excess over any other valid and collectible insurance that begins or continues in effect after the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period becomes effective, whether the other insurance applies on a primary, excess, contingent, or any other basis.

8. Legal Action Against Us

No one may bring a legal action against us under this insurance unless:

- a. There has been full compliance with all of the terms of this insurance; and
- b. The actions is brought within 2 years after the date the "computer attack" is first discovered by you, or the date on which you first receive notice of a "network security liability suit".

9. Network Security Liability Defense

- a. We shall have the right and the duty to assume the defense of any applicable "network security liability suit" against you. You shall give us such information and cooperation as we may reasonably require.
- b. You shall not admit liability for or settle any "network security liability suit" or incur any defense costs without our prior written consent.
- c. If you refuse to consent to any settlement recommended by us and acceptable to the claimant, we may then withdraw from your defense by tendering control of the defense to you. From that point forward, you shall, at your own expense, negotiate or defend such "network security liability suit" independently of us. Our liability shall not exceed the amount for which the claim or suit could have been settled if such recommendation was consented to, plus defense costs incurred by us, and defense costs incurred by you with our written consent, prior to the date of such refusal.
- d. We shall not be obligated to pay any damages or defense costs, or to defend or continue to defend any "network security liability suit", after the Network Security Liability Limit has been exhausted.
- e. We shall pay all interest on that amount of any judgment within the Network Security Liability Limit which accrues:
 - 1. After entry of judgment; and
 - 2. Before we pay, offer to pay or deposit in court that part of the judgment within the Network Security Liability Limit or, in any case, before we pay or offer to pay the entire Network Security Liability Limit.

These interest payments shall be in addition to and not part of the Network Security Liability Limit.

10. Prompt Payment of Claims

- a. Receipt of Notice of Claim
 - 1. Not later than the 15th day after the date we receive notice of a claim, we will:

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- a) acknowledge receipt of the claim;
- b) commence any investigation of the claim; and
- 2. request from you all items, statements, and forms that we reasonably believe, at that time, will be required from you.
- 3. We may make additional requests for information if during the investigation of the claim the additional requests are necessary.
- 4. If the acknowledgment of receipt of a claim is not made in writing, we will make a record of the date, manner, and content of the acknowledgment.

b. Notice of Acceptance or Rejection of Claim

- 1. Except as provided by Subsection 4, we will notify you in writing of the acceptance or rejection of a claim not later than the 15th business day after the date we receive all items, statements, and forms required by us to secure final proof of loss.
- 2. If we reject the claim, the notice required by Subsection a. must state the reasons for the rejection.
- 3. If we are unable to accept or reject the claim within the period specified by Subsection a., we, within that same period, will notify you of the reasons that we need additional time. We will accept or reject the claim not later than the 45th day after the date we notify you under this subsection.

c. Payment of Claim

- 1. Except as otherwise provided by this section, if we notify you under Subsection 2 that we will pay a claim or part of a claim, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date notice is made.
- 2. If payment of the claim or part of the claim is conditioned on the performance of an act by you, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date the act is performed.

d. Delay in Payment of Claim

- Except as otherwise provided, if we after receiving all items, statements, and forms reasonably requested
 and required under Subsection 1, delay payment of the claim for a period exceeding the period specified
 by applicable statutes or, if other statutes do not specify a period, for more than 60 days, we will pay
 damages and other items as provided by Texas Insurance Code Section 542.060
- 2. Subsection a, does not apply in a case in which it is found as a result of arbitration or litigation that a claim received by us is invalid and should not be paid by us.

11. Other Data Coverage in This Policy

Some elements of this CyberOne coverage may also be covered elsewhere under this policy. If so, this CyberOne coverage will apply as excess, additional coverage. If loss payment has been made elsewhere under the policy for the same event, the amount of such payment will count towards the deductible that applies to this CyberOne coverage.

12. Policy Period

This policy applies only to "computer attacks" that are first discovered by you during the policy period shown in the Declarations, and to "network security liability suits" of which you first receive notice during the policy period shown in the Declarations. The policy period begins and ends at 12:01 a.m., Standard Time, at your address shown in the Declarations.

13. Services

The following conditions apply as respects any services provided to you by any service firm provided or paid for in whole or in part under this Coverage Form:

- a. The effectiveness of such services depends on your cooperation and assistance.
- b. We do not warrant or guarantee that the services will end or eliminate all problems associated with the covered events.

C. DEFINITIONS

With respect to the provisions of this Coverage Form only, the following definitions are added:

- 1. "Business Income Loss" means the sum of the:
 - a. Net income (net profit or loss before income taxes) that would have been earned or incurred; and
 - b. Continuing normal and necessary operating expenses incurred, including employee payroll, actually lost by you during the "period of restoration".
- 2. "Computer Attack" means one of the following involving a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or AR CYB TX 12 14 © 2013 Page 6 of 8

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leased by you and operated under your control:

- Unauthorized Access meaning the gaining of access to your computer system by an unauthorized person or persons; or
- b. Malware Attack meaning damage to your computer system or data arising from malicious code, including viruses, worms, Trojans, spyware and keyloggers. This does not mean damage from shortcomings or mistakes in legitimate electronic code or damage from code installed on your computer system during the manufacturing process.
- c. Denial of Service Attack meaning a deliberate act to prevent third parties from gaining access to your computer system through the internet in a manner in which they are legally entitled.

3. "Data Re-creation Costs"

- a. "Data re-creation costs" means the costs of an outside professional firm hired by you to research, re-create and replace data that has been lost or corrupted and for which there is no electronic source available or where the electronic source does not have the same or similar functionality to the data that has been lost or corrupted.
- b. "Data re-creation costs" also means your actual "business income loss" and your necessary and reasonable "extra expenses" arising from the lack of the lost or corrupted data during the time required to research, recreate and replace such data.
- c. "Data re-creation costs" does not mean costs to research, re-create or replace:
 - 1) Software programs or operating systems that are not commercially available; or
 - 2) Data that is obsolete, unnecessary or useless to you.

4. "Data Restoration Costs"

- a. "Data restoration costs" means the costs of an outside professional firm hired by you to replace electronic data that has been lost or corrupted. In order to be considered "data restoration costs," such replacement must be from one or more electronic sources with the same or similar functionality to the data that has been lost or corrupted.
- b. "Data restoration costs" does not mean costs to research, restore or replace;
 - 1) Software programs or operating systems that are not commercially available; or
 - 2) Data that is obsolete, unnecessary or useless to you.
- 5. "Extra Expense" means the additional cost you incur to operate your business during the "period of restoration" over and above the cost that you normally would have incurred to operate your business during the same period had no "computer attack" occurred.
- "Network Security Liability Defense Costs"
 - a. "Network security liability defense costs" means reasonable and necessary expenses resulting solely from the investigation, defense and appeal of any "network security liability suit" against you. Such expenses may be incurred by us. Such expenses may include premiums for any appeal bond, attachment bond or similar bond. However, we have no obligation to apply for or furnish such bond.
 - b. "Network security liability defense costs" does not mean your salaries or your loss of earnings.
- 7. "Network Security Liability Settlement Costs"
 - a. "Network security liability settlement costs" means the following, when they arise from a "network security liability suit":
 - 1) Damages, judgments or settlements; and
 - 2) Defense costs added to that part of any judgment paid by us, when such defense costs are awarded by law or court order; and
 - 3) Pre-judgment interest on that part of any judgment paid by us.
 - b. "Network security liability settlement costs" does not mean:
 - 1) Civil or criminal fines or penalties imposed by law;
 - 2) Punitive or exemplary damages;
 - 3) The multiplied portion of multiplied damages;
 - 4) Taxes; or
 - 5) Matters which may be deemed uninsurable under the applicable law.
- 8. "Network Security Liability Suit"
- a. "Network security liability suit" means a civil proceeding against you in which damages are alleged. Such AR CYB TX 12 14 © 2013 Page 7 of 8

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proceeding must be brought in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, Puerto Rico or Canada. Such proceeding must be based on an allegation that a negligent security failure or weakness with respect to a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or leased by you and operated under your control allowed one or more of the following to happen:

- 1) The unintended propagation or forwarding of malware, including viruses, worms, Trojans, spyware and keyloggers. Malware does not include shortcomings or mistakes in legitimate electronic code.
- The unintended abetting of a denial of service attack against one or more other systems.
- b. If the 3rd Party Business Information line under Network Security Liability Optional Coverage on the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form is marked as Included, then "network security liability suit" also means a civil proceeding against you in which damages are alleged which is brought in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, Puerto Rico or Canada and which is based on an allegation that a negligent security failure or weakness with respect to a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or leased by you and operated under your control allowed the loss, release or disclosure of business data that is owned by or proprietary to a third party. This does not include personally identifying information or other information that is sensitive or personal to individuals. If the 3rd Party Business Information line under Network Security Liability Optional Coverage on the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form is marked as Excluded or is blank, then "network security liability suit" does not include such suits.
- c. "Network security liability suit" includes the following:
 - 1) An arbitration or alternative dispute resolution proceeding that you are required to submit to or which we agree you should submit to; or
 - 2) A written demand for money, when such demand could reasonably result in a civil proceeding as described in this definition.
- d. "Network security liability suit" does not mean any demand or action alleging or arising from property damage or bodily injury.
- e. "Network security liability suit" does not mean any demand or action brought by or on behalf of someone who is:
 - 1) Your director or officer;
 - 2) Your owner or part-owner; or
 - 3) A holder of your securities;

in their capacity as such, whether directly, derivatively, or by class action.

- 9. "Period of Restoration" means the period of time that begins at the time that the "computer attack" is discovered by you and continues until the earlier of:
 - The date that all data restoration, data re-creation and system restoration directly related to the "computer attack" has been completed; or
 - b. The date on which such data restoration, data re-creation and system restoration could have been completed with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch.
- 10. "Reckless Disregard" means that:
 - a. The action or procedure is deliberate; and
 - b. The action or procedure entails either a certainty or a high probability of causing or allowing a "computer attack" or a "network security liability suit".
- 11. "System Restoration Costs"
 - a. "System restoration costs" means the costs of an outside professional firm hired by you to do any of the following in order to restore your computer system to its pre- "computer attack" level of functionality:
 - 1) Replace or reinstall computer software programs;
 - 2) Remove any malicious code; and
 - 3) Configure or correct the configuration of your computer system.
 - b. "System restoration costs" does not mean:
 - 1) Costs to increase the speed, capacity or utility of your computer system;
 - 2) Labor of your employees;
 - 3) Any costs in excess of the actual cash value of your computer system; or
 - 4) Costs to repair or replace hardware,

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Other words and phrases that appear in quotation marks have special meaning. Refer to the Definitions section.

The terms and conditions of the Cancellation Clause of the Common Policy Conditions and any amendment to such terms incorporated by endorsement are hereby incorporated herein and shall apply to coverage as is afforded by this Data Compromise Coverage, unless specifically stated otherwise in an endorsement attached hereto.

SCHEDULE

SECTION 1 - RESPONSE EXPENSES		
Data Compromise		
Response Expenses Limit:	\$50,000	Annual Aggregate
Sublimits		
Named Malware (Section 1);	\$50,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Forensic IT Review:	\$5,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Legal Review:	\$5,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
PR Services:	\$5,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Response Expense Deductible:	\$2,500	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
SECTION 2 - DEFENSE AND LIABILITY		
Data Compromise		
Defense and Liability Limit;	\$50,000	Annual Aggregate
Sublimits		
Named Malware (Section 2):	\$50,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Defense and Liability Deductible	\$2,500	Each "Data Compromise Suit"

The following is added as an Additional Coverage:

SECTION 1 - RESPONSE EXPENSES

A. DATA COMPROMISE COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS

Coverage under this Data Compromise Coverage Form applies only if all of the following conditions are met:

- 1. There has been a "personal data compromise"; and
- 2. Such "personal data compromise" is first discovered by you during the policy period for which this Data Compromise Coverage Form is applicable; and
- 3. Such "personal data compromise" is reported to us within 90 days after the date it is first discovered by you.

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B. COVERAGE - SECTION 1

If all three of the conditions listed above in DATA COMPROMISE – COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS have been met, then we will provide coverage for the following expenses when they arise directly from the covered cause of loss and are necessary and reasonable. Coverages 4 and 5 apply only if there has been a notification of the "personal data compromise" to "affected individuals" as covered under coverage 3.

1. Forensic IT Review

Professional information technologies review if needed to determine, within the constraints of what is possible and reasonable, the nature and extent of the "personal data compromise" and the number and identities of the "affected individuals".

This does not include costs to analyze, research or determine any of the following:

- a. Vulnerabilities in systems, procedures or physical security;
- b. Compliance with PCI or other industry security standards; or
- c. The nature or extent of loss or damage to data that is not "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information".

If there is reasonable cause to suspect that a covered "personal data compromise" may have occurred, we will pay for costs covered under Forensic IT Review, even if it is eventually determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise". However, once it is determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise", we will not pay for any further costs.

2. Legal Review

Professional legal counsel review of the "personal data compromise" and how you should best respond to it.

If there is reasonable cause to suspect that a covered "personal data compromise" may have occurred, we will pay for costs covered under Legal Review, even if it is eventually determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise". However, once it is determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise", we will not pay for any further costs.

3. Notification to Affected Individuals

We will pay your necessary and reasonable costs to provide notification of the "personal data compromise" to "affected individuals".

4. Services to Affected Individuals

We will pay your necessary and reasonable costs to provide the following services to "affected individuals".

- a. The following services apply to any "personal data compromise".
 - (1) Informational Materials

A packet of loss prevention and customer support information.

(2) Help Line

A toll-free telephone line for "affected individuals" with questions about the "personal data compromise". Where applicable, the line can also be used to request additional services as listed in b. 1) and 2).

- b. The following additional services apply to "personal data compromise" events involving "personally identifying information".
 - (1) Credit Report and Monitoring

A credit report and an electronic service automatically monitoring for activities affecting an individual's credit records. This service is subject to the "affected individual" enrolling for this service with the designated service provider.

(2) Identity Restoration Case Management

As respects any "affected individual" who is or appears to be a victim of "identity theft" that may reasonably have arisen from the "personal data compromise", the services of an identity restoration professional who will assist that "affected individual" through the process of correcting credit and other records and, within the constraints of what is possible and reasonable, restoring control over his or her personal identity.

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5. PR Services

Professional public relations firm review of and response to the potential impact of the "personal data compromise" on your business relationships.

This includes costs to implement public relations recommendations of such firm. This may include advertising and special promotions designed to retain your relationship with "affected individuals". However, we will not pay for promotions:

- a. Provided to any of your directors or employees; or;
- b. Costing more than \$25 per "affected individual",

C. LIMITS - SECTION 1

The most we will pay under Response Expenses coverage is the Response Expenses Limit indicated in the SCHEDULE above.

The Data Compromise Response Expenses Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for the total of all loss covered under Section 1 arising out of all "personal data compromise" events which are first discovered by you during the present annual policy period. This limit applies regardless of the number of "personal data compromise" events discovered by you during that period.

A "personal data compromise" may be first discovered by you in one policy period but cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "personal data compromise" will be subject to the Response Expenses Limit applicable to the policy period when the "personal data compromise" was first discovered by you.

The most we will pay under Response Expenses coverage for loss arising from any "malware-related compromise" is the Named Malware (Sec. 1) sublimit indicated in the Data Compromise schedule above. For the purpose of the Named Malware (Sec. 1) sublimit, all "malware-related compromises" that are caused, enabled or abetted by the same virus or other malicious code are considered to be a single "personal data compromise". This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to the Response Expenses Limit.

The most we will pay under Forensic IT Review, Legal Review and PR Services coverages for loss arising from any one "personal data compromise" is the applicable sublimit for each of those coverages indicated in the Data Compromise schedule above. These sublimits are part of, and not in addition to, the Data Compromise Response Expenses Limit. PR Services coverage is also subject to a limit per "affected individual" as described in 5. PR Services.

Coverage for Services to "affected individuals" is limited to costs to provide such services for a period of up to one year from the date of the notification to the "affected individuals". Notwithstanding, coverage for Identity Restoration Case Management services initiated within such one year period may continue for a period of up to one year from the date such Identity Restoration Case Management services are initiated.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 1

Response Expenses coverage is subject to the Response Expenses Deductible indicated in the Data Compromise schedule above. You shall be responsible for such deductible amount as respects each "personal data compromise" covered under this Coverage Form.

The following is added as an Additional Coverage:

SECTION 2 - DEFENSE AND LIABILITY

A. DEFENSE AND LIABILITY COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS

Coverage under this Data Compromise Coverage Form applies only if all three of the conditions in DATA COMPROMISE - COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS are met.

Only with regard to Section 2 - Defense and Liability coverage, the following conditions must also be met:

- 1. You have provided notifications and services to "affected individuals" in consultation with us pursuant to Response Expenses coverage; and
- 2. You receive notice of a "data compromise suit" brought by one or more "affected individuals" or by a governmental entity on behalf of one or more "affected individuals"; and

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- 3. Notice of such "data compromise suit" is received by you within two years of the date that the "affected individuals" are notified of the "personal data compromise"; and
- 4. Such "data compromise suit" is reported to us as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date it is first received by you.

B. COVERAGE - SECTION 2

If all of the conditions listed above in DEFENSE AND LIABILITY – COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS have been met, then we will provide coverage for "data compromise defense costs" and "data compromise liability" directly arising from the covered cause of loss.

C. LIMITS - SECTION 2

The most we will pay under Defense and Liability coverage (other than post-judgment interest) is the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit indicated in the schedule above.

The Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for all loss covered under Section 2 (other than post-judgment interest) arising out of all "personal data compromise" events which are first discovered by you during the present annual policy period. This limit applies regardless of the number of "personal data compromise" events occurring during that period.

A "personal data compromise" may be first discovered by you in one policy period but cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "personal data compromise" (other than post-judgment interest) will be subject to the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit applicable to the policy period when the "personal data compromise" was first discovered by you.

The most we will pay under Defense and Liability coverage for loss arising from any "malware-related compromise" is the Named Malware (Sec. 2) sublimit indicated for this coverage. For the purpose of the Named Malware (Sec. 2) sublimit, all "malware-related compromises" that are caused, enabled or abetted by the same virus or other malicious code are considered to be a single "personal data compromise". This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Defense and Liability Limit.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 2

Defense and Liability coverage is subject to the Defense and Liability Deductible indicated in the schedule above. You shall be responsible for such deductible amount as respects each "data compromise suit" covered under this Coverage Form.

SECTION 3 -- EXCLUSIONS, ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS AND DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO BOTH SECTION 1 AND SECTION 2

A. EXCLUSIONS

The following additional exclusions apply to this coverage:

We will not pay for costs or loss based upon, arising out of or resulting from the following:

- 1. Your intentional or willful complicity in a "personal data compromise,"
- 2. Any criminal, fraudulent or dishonest act, error or omission, or any intentional or knowing violation of the law by
- 3. Any "personal data compromise" occurring prior to the first inception of this Data Compromise Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Form.
- 4. Costs to research or correct any deficiency. This includes, but is not limited to, any deficiency in your systems, procedures or physical security that may have contributed to a "personal data compromise".
- 5. Any fines or penalties. This includes, but is not limited to, fees or surcharges from affected financial institutions.
- 6. Any criminal investigations or proceedings.
- 7. Any extortion or blackmail. This includes, but is not limited to, ransom payments and private security assistance.
- 8. Any "personal data compromise" involving data that is being transmitted electronically, unless such data is encrypted to protect the security of the transmission.
- 9. Your reckless disregard for the security of "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" in your care, custody or control.

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- 10. That part of any "data compromise suit" seeking any non-monetary relief.
- 11. Seizure or destruction of property by order of governmental authority.
- 12. Nuclear reaction or radiation or radioactive contamination, however caused.
- 13. War and military action including any of the following and any consequence of any of the following:
 - a. War, including undeclared or civil war;
 - b. Warlike action by a military force, including action in hindering or defending against an actual or expected attack, by any government, sovereign or other authority using military personnel or other agents; or
 - **c.** Insurrection, rebellion, revolution, usurped power, or action taken by governmental authority in hindering or defending against any of these.
- 14. Bodily harm or injury, sickness, disease, disability, humiliation, shock, fright, mental anguish or mental injury, including care, loss of services or death resulting from any of these at any time.
- 15. Physical injury to or destruction of tangible property including all resulting loss of use; or loss of use of tangible property that is not physically injured.
- 16. Failure or interruption of or damage to the internet or internet service provider.

B. ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS

The following conditions apply in addition to the Common Policy Conditions.

1. Abandonment

There can be no abandonment of any property to us.

2. Concealment or Fraud

This policy is void if you have intentionally concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance relating to this insurance.

3. Coverage Territory

The "personal data compromise" must involve "personally identifying information" that was within your care, custody or control within the United States of America and Puerto Rico.

4. Data Compromise Liability Defense

- a. We shall have the right and the duty to assume the defense of any applicable "data compromise suit" against you. You shall give us such information and cooperation as we may reasonably require.
- b. You shall not admit liability for or settle any "data compromise suit" or incur any defense costs without our prior written consent.
- c. If you refuse to consent to any settlement recommended by us and acceptable to the claimant, we may then withdraw from your defense by tendering control of the defense to you. From that point forward, you shall, at your own expense, negotiate or defend such "data compromise suit" independently of us. Our liability shall not exceed the amount for which the claim or suit could have been settled if such recommendation was consented to, plus defense costs incurred by us, and defense costs incurred by you with our written consent, prior to the date of such refusal.
- d. We shall not be obligated to pay any damages or defense costs, or to defend or continue to defend any "data compromise suit", after the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit has been exhausted.
- e. We shall pay all interest on that amount of any judgment within the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit which accrues:
 - (1) after entry of judgment; and
 - (2) before we pay, offer to pay or deposit in court that part of the judgment within the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit or, in any case, before we pay or offer to pay the entire Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit.

These interest payments shall be in addition to and not part of the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit.

5. Due Diligence

You agree to use due diligence to prevent and mitigate costs covered under this Data Compromise Coverage Form. This includes, but is not limited to, complying with, and requiring your vendors to comply with, reasonable and industry-accepted protocols for:

a. Providing and maintaining appropriate physical security for your premises, computer systems and hard copy files;

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- b. Providing and maintaining appropriate computer and Internet security;
- c. Maintaining and updating at appropriate intervals backups of computer data;
- d. Protecting transactions, such as processing credit card, debit card and check payments; and
- e. Appropriate disposal of files containing "personally identifying information," or "personally sensitive information", including shredding hard copy files and destroying physical media used to store electronic data.

6. Duties in the Event of a "Data Compromise Suit"

- a. If a "data compromise suit" is brought against you, you must:
 - (1) Immediately record the specifics of the "data compromise suit" and the date received; and
 - (2) Provide us with written notice, as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date the "data compromise suit" is first received by you.
 - (3) Immediately send us copies of any demands, notices, summonses or legal papers received in connection with the "data compromise suit";
 - (4) Authorize us to obtain records and other information;
 - (5) Cooperate with us in the investigation, settlement or defense of the "data compromise suit";
 - (6) Assist us, upon our request, in the enforcement of any right against any person or organization which may be liable to you because of loss to which this insurance may also apply; and
 - (7) Not take any action, or fail to take any required action, that prejudices your rights or our rights with respect to such "data compromise suit".
- b. You may not, except at your own cost, voluntarily make a payment, assume any obligation, or incur any expense without our prior written consent.
- c. If you become aware of a claim or complaint that may become a "data compromise suit," you shall promptly inform us of such claim or complaint.

7. Duties in the Event of a "Personal Data Compromise"

You must see that the following are done in the event of a "personal data compromise":

- a. Notify the police if a law may have been broken.
- b. Give us prompt notice of the "personal data compromise". You must report the "personal data compromise" to us within 90 days of the date you first discover it.
- c. As soon as possible, give us a description of how, when and where the "personal data compromise" occurred.
- d. Take all reasonable steps to protect "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" remaining in your care, custody or control. If feasible, preserve evidence of the "personal data compromise".
- e. Permit us to inspect the property and records proving the "personal data compromise".
- f. If requested, permit us to question you under oath at such times as may be reasonably required about any matter relating to this insurance or your claim, including your books and records. In such event, your answers must be signed.
- g. Send us a signed, sworn statement containing the information we request to investigate the claim. You must do this within 60 days after our request. We will supply you with the necessary forms.
- h. Cooperate with us in the investigation or settlement of the claim.

8. Legal Action Against Us

No one may bring a legal action against us under this insurance unless:

- a. There has been full compliance with all of the terms of this insurance; and
- b. The actions is brought within 2 years after the date the "personal data compromise" is first discovered by you.

9. Legal Advice

We are not your legal advisor. Our determination of what is or is not covered under this Data Compromise Coverage Form does not represent advice or counsel from us about what you should or should not do.

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10. Other Insurance

If there is other insurance that applies to the same loss, damage or expense, this Data Compromise Coverage shall apply only as excess insurance after all other applicable insurance has been exhausted.

11. Policy Period

This policy applies only to "personal data compromises" that are first discovered by you during the policy period shown in the General Declarations. The policy period begins and ends at 12:01 a.m., Standard Time, at your address shown in the General Declarations.

12. Pre-Notification Consultation

You agree to consult with us prior to the issuance of notification to "affected individuals." We assume no responsibility under this Data Compromise Coverage for any services promised to "affected individuals" without our prior agreement. If possible, this pre-notification consultation will also include the designated service provider(s) as agreed to under Condition 13. Service Providers. You must provide the following at our pre-notification consultation with you:

- a. The exact list of "affected individuals" to be notified, including contact information.
- b. Information about the "personal data compromise" that may appropriately be communicated with "affected individuals."
- c. The scope of services that you desire for the "affected individuals." For example, coverage may be structured to provide fewer services in order to make those services available to more "affected individuals" without exceeding the available Response Expenses Limit.

13. Service Providers

- a. We will only pay under this Data Compromise Coverage for services that are provided by service providers approved by us. You must obtain our prior approval for any service provider whose expenses you want covered under this Data Compromise Coverage. We will not unreasonably withhold such approval.
- b. Prior to the Pre-Notification Consultation described in Additional Condition 12. above, you must come to agreement with us regarding the service provider(s) to be used for the Notification to Affected Individuals and Services to Affected Individuals. We will suggest a service provider, If you prefer to use an alternate service provider, our coverage is subject to the following limitations:
 - (1) Such alternate service provider must be approved by us;
 - (2) Such alternate service provider must provide services that are reasonably equivalent or superior in both kind and quality to the services that would have been provided by the service provider we had suggested; and
 - (3) Our payment for services provided by any alternate service provider will not exceed the amount that we would have paid using the service provider we had suggested.

14. Services

The following conditions apply as respects any services provided to you or any "affected individual" by us, our designees or any service firm paid for in whole or in part under this Data Compromise coverage:

- a. The effectiveness of such services depends on your cooperation and assistance.
- b. All services may not be available or applicable to all individuals. For example, "affected individuals" who are minors or foreign nationals may not have credit records that can be provided or monitored. Service in Canada will be different from service in the United States and Puerto Rico in accordance with local conditions.
- c. We do not warrant or guarantee that the services will end or eliminate all problems associated with the covered events.
- d. You will have a direct relationship with the professional service firms paid for in whole or in part under this coverage. Those firms work for you.

15. Prompt Payment of Claims

- a. Receipt of Notice of Claim.
 - (1) Not later than the 15th day after the date we receive notice of a claim, we will:
 - (i) acknowledge receipt of the claim;
 - (ii) commence any investigation of the claim; and

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- (2) request from you all items, statements, and forms that we reasonably believe, at that time, will be required from you.
- (3) We may make additional requests for information if during the investigation of the claim the additional requests are necessary.
- (4) If the acknowledgment of receipt of a claim is not made in writing, we will make a record of the date, manner, and content of the acknowledgment.
- b. Notice of Acceptance or Rejection of Claim.
 - (1) Except as provided by Subsection 4, we will notify you in writing of the acceptance or rejection of a claim not later than the 15th business day after the date we receive all items, statements, and forms required by us to secure final proof of loss.
 - (2) If we reject the claim, the notice required by Subsection a. must state the reasons for the rejection.
 - (3) If we are unable to accept or reject the claim within the period specified by Subsection a., we, within that same period, will notify you of the reasons that we need additional time. We will accept or reject the claim not later than the 45th day after the date we notify you under this subsection.
- c. Payment of Claim.
 - (1) Except as otherwise provided by this section, if we notify you under Subsection b that we will pay a claim or part of a claim, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date notice is made.
 - (2) If payment of the claim or part of the claim is conditioned on the performance of an act by you, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date the act is performed.
- d. Delay in Payment of Claim.
 - (1) Except as otherwise provided, if we after receiving all items, statements, and forms reasonably requested and required under Subsection a, delay payment of the claim for a period exceeding the period specified by applicable statutes or, if other statutes do not specify a period, for more than 90 days, we will pay damages and other items as provided by Texas Insurance Code Section 542.060.
 - (2) Subsection a. does not apply in a case in which it is found as a result of arbitration or litigation that a claim received by us is invalid and should not be paid by us.

C. DEFINITIONS

With respect to the provisions of this Data Compromise Coverage Form only, the following definitions are added:

- 1. "Affected Individual" means any person who is your current, former or prospective customer, client, member, owner, director or employee and whose "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" is lost, stolen, accidentally released or accidentally published by a "personal data compromise" covered under this Coverage Form. This definition is subject to the following provisions:
 - a. "Affected individual" does not include any business or organization. Only an individual person may be an "affected individual,"
 - **b.** An "affected individual" must have a direct relationship with your interests as insured under this policy. The following are examples of individuals who would not meet this requirement:
 - (1) If you aggregate or sell information about individuals as part of your business, the individuals about whom you keep such information do not qualify as "affected individuals." However, specific individuals may qualify as "affected individuals" for another reason, such as being an employee of yours.
 - (2) If you store, process, transmit or transport records, the individuals whose "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information you are storing, processing, transmitting or transporting for another entity do not qualify as "affected individuals." However, specific individuals may qualify as "affected individuals" for another reason, such as being an employee of yours.
 - (3) You may have operations, interests or properties that are not insured under this policy. Individuals who have a relationship with you through such other operations, interests or properties do not qualify as "affected individuals." However, specific individuals may qualify as "affected individuals" for another reason, such as being an employee of the operation insured under this policy.
 - c. An "affected individual" may reside anywhere in the world.
- 2. "Data Compromise Defense Costs" means expenses resulting solely from the investigation, defense and appeal of any "data compromise suit" against you. Such expenses must be reasonable and necessary. They will be incurred by us. They do not include your salaries or your loss of earnings. They do include premiums for any appeal bond, attachment bond or similar bond, but without any obligation to apply for or furnish any such bond.
- 3. "Data Compromise Liability"

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- a. "Data compromise liability" means the following, when they arise from a "data compromise suit":
 - (1) Damages, judgments or settlements to "affected individuals";
 - (2) Defense costs added to that part of any judgment paid by us, when such defense costs are awarded by law or court order; and
 - (3) Pre-judgment interest on that part of any judgment paid by us.
- b. "Data compromise liability" does not mean:
 - (1) Damages, judgments or settlements to anyone who is not an "affected individual";
 - (2) Civil or criminal fines or penalties imposed by law;
 - (3) Punitive or exemplary damages;
 - (4) The multiplied portion of multiplied damages;
 - (5) Taxes; or
 - (6) Matters which may be deemed uninsurable under the applicable law.
- 4. "Data Compromise Suit"
 - a. "Data Compromise Suit" means a civil proceeding in which damages to one or more "affected individuals" arising from a "personal data compromise" or the violation of a governmental statute or regulation are alleged. Such proceeding must be brought in the United States of America, Puerto Rico or Canada. "Data compromise suit" includes:
 - (1) An arbitration proceeding in which such damages are claimed and to which you must submit or do submit with our consent;
 - (2) Any other alternative dispute resolution proceeding in which such damages are claimed and to which you submit with our consent; or
 - (3) A written demand for money, when such demand could reasonably result in a civil proceeding as described in this definition.
 - b. "Data compromise suit" does not mean any demand or action brought by or on behalf of someone who is:
 - (1) Your director or officer;
 - (2) Your owner or part-owner; or
 - (3) A holder of your securities;
 - in their capacity as such, whether directly, derivatively, or by class action. "Data compromise suit" will include proceedings brought by such individuals in their capacity as "affected individuals," but only to the extent that the damages claimed are the same as would apply to any other "affected individual."
 - c. "Data compromise suit" does not mean any demand or action brought by or on behalf of an organization, business, institution or any other party that is not an "affected individual" or governmental entity.
- 5. "Identity Theft" means the fraudulent use of "personally identifying information." This includes fraudulently using such information to establish credit accounts, secure loans, enter into contracts or commit crimes,
 - "Identity theft" does not include the fraudulent use of a business name, d/b/a or any other method of identifying a business activity.
- 6. "Malware-Related Compromise" means a "personal data compromise" that is caused, enabled or abetted by a virus or other malicious code that, at the time of the "personal data compromise", is named and recognized by the CERT® Coordination Center, McAfee®, Secunia, Symantec or other comparable third party monitors of malicious code activity.
- 7. "Personal Data Compromise" means the loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication of "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" as respects one or more "affected individuals". If the loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication involves "personally identifying information", such loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication must result in or have the reasonable possibility of resulting in the fraudulent use of such information. This definition is subject to the following provisions:
 - a. At the time of the loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication, the "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" need not be at the insured premises but must be in the direct care, custody or control of:
 - (1) You; or
 - (2) A professional entity with which you have a direct relationship and to which you (or an "affected individual" at your direction) have turned over (directly or via a professional transmission or transportation provider) such information for storage, processing, transmission or transportation of such information.

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- b. "Personal data compromise" includes disposal or abandonment of "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" without appropriate safeguards such as shredding or destruction, subject to the following provisions:
 - (1) The failure to use appropriate safeguards must be accidental and not reckless or deliberate; and
 - (2) Such disposal or abandonment must take place during the time period for which this Data Compromise Coverage is effective.
- c. "Personal data compromise" includes situations where there is a reasonable cause to suspect that such "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" has been lost, stolen, accidentally released or accidentally published, even if there is no firm proof.
- d. All incidents of "personal data compromise" that are discovered at the same time or arise from the same cause will be considered one "personal data compromise".
- 8. "Personally Identifying Information" means information, including health information, that could be used to commit fraud or other illegal activity involving the credit, access to health care or identity of an "affected individual". This includes, but is not limited to, Social Security numbers or account numbers.
 - "Personally identifying information" does not mean or include information that is otherwise available to the public, such as names and addresses.
- 9. "Personally Sensitive Information" means private information specific to an individual the release of which requires notification of "affected individuals" under any applicable law.
 - "Personally sensitive information" does not mean or include "personally identifying information".
- 10, "Reckless Disregard" means that:
 - a. The action or procedure is deliberate; and
 - b. The action or procedure entails either a certainty or a high probability of causing or allowing a "personal data compromise".

All other provisions of this policy apply,

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Calendar Year Named Storm Deductible

The Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible, as described elsewhere in this policy, will apply anew in each calendar year. If the policy period does not coincide with the calendar year, then a separate Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible will apply to loss or damage that occurs during each calendar year in which the policy is in force. For example, if the policy period is from July 1 of calendar year 1 to June 30 of calendar year 2, a separate Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible applies to loss or damage occurring from July 1 to December 31 of calendar year 1 and to loss or damage occurring from January 1 to June 30 of calendar year 2.

When a Named Storm results in loss or damage that exhausts the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible, then that Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible will not apply to loss or damage from a subsequent Named Storm in the same calendar year. In such case, the Deductible that applies to loss or damage from each subsequent Named Storm in that calendar year shall be the "All Other Wind/Hail" Deductible.

When a Named Storm results in loss or damage that does not exhaust the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible, then the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible applicable to a subsequent Named Storm in the same calendar year shall be the greater of:

- a) the All Other Wind/Hail Deductible; or
- b) the remaining amount of the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible. In this situation, the remaining amount of the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible is determined by subtracting the amount(s) of the aforementioned loss or damage from the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

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Compass Sinkhole Loss Extension

It is understood and agreed that this policy is amended as follows:

- 1. The words "Sinkhole Loss" are deleted from the Earth Movement Definition in Section VIII.I.5. of the AR Compass 01 15 Form.
- 2. The Compass Form is extended to cover Sinkhole Loss, as defined under Section VIII.AA.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged,

AR Compass Sinkhole 01 15

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

EXCLUSION OF CERTIFIED ACTS OF TERRORISM

A. The following definition is added with respect to the provisions of this endorsement:

"Certified Act of Terrorism" means an act that is certified by the Secretary of the Treasury, in accordance with the provisions of the federal Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, to be an act of terrorism pursuant to such Act. The criteria contained in the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act for a "Certified Act of Terrorism" include the following:

- 1. The act resulted in insured losses in excess of \$5 million in the aggregate, attributable to all types of insurance subject to the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act; and
- 2. The act is a violent act or an act that is dangerous to human life, property or infrastructure and is committed by an individual or individuals as part of an effort to coerce the civilian population of the United States or to influence the policy or affect the conduct of the United States Government by coercion.

B. The following exclusion is added:

CERTIFIED ACT OF TERRORISM EXCLUSION

The Companies will not pay for loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by a "Certified Act of Terrorism". Such loss or damage is excluded regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to the loss.

C. Exception Covering Certain Fire Losses

As respects to property located In states that have Standard Fire Policy or similar laws mandating that insurance Companies provide coverage for "fire following" any Certified Acts of Terrorism, the following exception to the exclusion in Paragraph B. applies:

If a "Certified Act of Terrorism" results in fire, the Companies will pay for the loss or damage caused by that fire. Such coverage for fire applies only to direct loss or damage by fire to Covered Property. Therefore, for example, the coverage does not apply to insurance provided under Business Income and/or Extra Expense coverage forms or endorsements which apply to those forms, or to the Legal Liability Coverage Form or the Leasehold Interest Coverage Form.

If aggregate insured losses attributable to terrorist acts certified under the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act exceed \$100 billion in a calendar year and the Companies have met their insurer deductible under the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, the Companies shall not be liable for the payment of any portion of the amount of such losses that exceeds \$100 billion, and in such case insured losses up to that amount are subject to pro rata allocation in accordance with procedures established by the Secretary of the Treasury.

D. Application Of Other Exclusions

The terms and limitations of any terrorism exclusion, or the inapplicability or omission of a terrorism exclusion, do not serve to create coverage for any loss which would otherwise be excluded under this Coverage Part or Policy, such as losses excluded by the Nuclear Hazard Exclusion or the War and Military Action Exclusion.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged,

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AGREED ORDER ON JOINT NOTICE OF REFERRAL TO ARBITRATION AND JOINT MOTION FOR STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

After considering Plaintiffs' and Defendants' Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration and Joint Motion for Stay of Proceedings, the Court:

RECOGNIZES and ACCEPTS the Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration; and

GRANTS the Joint Motion for Stay of Proceedings and ORDERS that this case be stayed pending the outcome of the arbitration, however, the court retains any rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF NEW YORK

CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S OF LONDON SUBSCRIBING TO POLICY OF INSURANCE NUMBER AMR-53478-01, INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA, UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE,

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NOTICE OF PETITION

Petitioners,

-against-

IBS WAREHOUSING LLC and CI LOGISTICS, LLC,

Respondents.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that upon the annexed Petition of CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S OF LONDON SUBSCRIBING TO POLICY OF INSURANCE NUMBER AMR-53478-01, INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA, UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE, by and through the undersigned attorneys, Fleischner Potash LLC, dated July 20, 2018, the exhibits annexed thereto, and the supporting Memorandum of Law, an application will be made to this Court at the Courthouse located at 60 Centre Street, New York, New York 10007 on the 20th day of August, 2018 at 9:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an Order,

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pursuant to §§ 7051, 7502(a)(i), 7504, 7601 and 9 U.S.C. § 5, appointing an arbitral umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal with respect to the arbitration between Petitioners and Respondents, as well as such other, further and different relief as this court deems just and proper.

No other application for the relief sought herein has been made.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that answering affidavits, if any shall be served at least seven (7) days prior to the return date of this petition.

Dated: New York, New York July 20, 2018

FLEISCHNER POTASH LLP

By:

Jared T. Greisman

Attorneys for Petitioners,

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STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY,

GENERAL SECURITY

INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA UNITED

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This Petition is submitted in support of the application which seeks an Order 1. pursuant to CPLR § 7504 and 9 U.S.C. § 5 directing that an arbitral umpire be appointed through the ARIAS ranking method to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal with regard to a claim for property damage submitted by Respondents, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC ("IBS") and CI LOGISTICS LLC ("CI"), (collectively, "Respondents") under the Commercial Property Policy of Insurance issued by Petitioners to Respondents for the policy period of May 28, 2016 through May 28, 2017, and for such other an further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

2. A copy of the Policy is annexed hereto as **Exhibit A**.

THE PARTIES

- 3. CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON (hereinafter "Underwriters") are individual underwriting Syndicates, each with liability for its own proportionate share of the risk underwritten by them, and not jointly or one for the other, organized and existing under the laws of the United Kingdom with their principal place of business located in London, England.
- 4. INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Indian Harbor") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 70 Seaview Avenue, Stamford, Connecticut.
- 5. QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "QBE") is an insurance company with its principal place of business and North American Headquarters located at Wall Street Plaza, 88 Pine Street, New York, New York.
- STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Steadfast") is an 6. insurance company with its principal place of business located at 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois,

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7. GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA (hereinafter "General Security") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at One Seaport Plaza, 199 Water Street, New York, New York.

- 8. LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Lexington") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 100 Summer Street, Boston, Massachusetts.
- 9. UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "United Specialty") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 1900 L. Don Dodson Drive, Bedford, Texas.
- $\cdot 10.$ PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY (hereinafter "Princeton") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located at 555 College Road East, Princeton, New Jersey.
- 11. INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE (hereinafter "Hanover") is an insurance company with its principal place of business located in Hannover, Germany.
- 12. Upon information and belief, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC is a Texas Limited Liability Company with its principal place of business located at 802 Trinity Street, Mission, Texas and a Registered Agent and Office at Joaquin Spamer, 809 Rio Grande Drive, Mission, Texas.
- Upon information and belief, CI LOGISTICS LLC is a Texas Limited Liability 13. Company with its principal place of business located at 802 Trinity Street, Mission, Texas.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

14. Jurisdiction in this court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7501, as the Policy terms state, in relevant part, that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Case 7:18-cv-00285 Document 1-3 Filed in TXSD on 09/07/18 Page 185 of 338

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Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." Respondents have submitted to jurisdiction in New York. See Exhibit A.

- 15. Venue in this court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7502(a)(i) because the Policy terms state, in relevant part, that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." See Exhibit A.
- 16. Venue in this Court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7502(a)(i) because Petitioners are doing business in New York County.

FACTS

- Petitioners issued a policy of insurance to Respondents which provided 17. Commercial Property coverage for the property located at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas for the policy period of May 28, 2016 through May 28, 2017 subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions and limitations contained in the Policy. A copy of the Policy is annexed hereto as Exhibit A.
- 18. On June 1, 2016, Respondents submitted a Property Loss Notice for an alleged loss that occurred on May 31, 2016 at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas, which was described as "roof damage due to high winds".
- 19. Petitioners retained Pacesetter to inspect the loss, Petitioners also retained Rimkus Consulting Group Inc. to provide engineering services and to determine the extent of the roof damage, if any, caused by the May 31, 2016 storm.
- 20. Based on the Rimkus engineer's report and conclusions regarding which portions of the roof were damaged as a result of the storm and which portions exhibited signs of normal age-related deterioration, the Pacesetter adjuster prepared a repair estimate for the storm related damage in the total amount of \$23,867.18.

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- 21. On September 22, 2016, Petitioners denied any obligation to make payment to Respondents because the covered damages did not exceed the Policy's \$50,000 wind/hail deductible.
- 22. Several months later, on or about May 4, 2017, Respondents sent demand letters to Petitioners seeking payment in the amount of \$2,105,624.88 allegedly due to the May 31, 2016 storm.
- 23. Thereafter, on or about May 24, 2017, Respondents commenced an action in the District Court for Hidalgo County, Texas against Petitioners seeking \$2,105,624.88 in damages.
- 24. On July 5, 2017, counsel for the Petitioners sent a letter to counsel for the Respondents invoking the Policy's Arbitration Clause.
- 25. The Parties ultimately agreed to submit this matter to Arbitration pursuant to the Arbitration Clause in the Policy. Consequently, the Texas Lawsuit was stayed. A copy of the August 2, 2017 Order referring this matter to Arbitration is annexed hereto as **Exhibit B**.
 - 26. The Policy's Arbitration Clause states, in pertinent part:
 - C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties') in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

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Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matter which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

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- 27. On or about August 9, 2017, the Petitioners appointed Dale S. Frediani as their Arbitrator.
- 28. Prior to September 5, 2017, the Respondents appointed Michael Krismer as their Arbitrator.
- 29. By letter dated October 27, 2017, Petitioners objected to the appointment of Mr. Krismer on the basis that he was not "employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims" as required by the Policy and reserves their right to raise this objection at the conclusion of the Arbitration Proceeding.
- 30. Thereafter, the Parties' Arbitrators attempted to agree on a course of action to move the Arbitration Proceeding forward.
- 31. Respondents would not agree to an Arbitration Protocol and, instead, suggested that the Arbitrators schedule a visit to the Insured property.

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32. Mr. Frediani attempted to contact Mr. Krismer to discuss scheduling a visit as well as selecting an umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal on December 7, 2017, December 13, 2017, January 22, 2018, March 2, 2018, March 20, 2018 and

- 33. Other than one voicemail in January 2018, Mr. Krismer did not respond to Mr. Frediani's calls and emails.
- 34. On May 2, 2018, Respondents' counsel ultimately advised that Mr. Krismer wished to withdraw from his appointment as Arbitrator.
 - 35. Mr. Krismer formally withdrew as arbitrator effective June 14, 2018.
- 36. On June 15, 2018, Respondents' counsel advised that Dan Stouffer would now serve as the Respondents' Arbitrator.
- 37. In the three weeks since Mr. Souffer's appointment, the Parties' Arbitrators have still been unable to select an umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal.
- 38. Almost a full year as elapsed since Petitioners invoked the Policy's Arbitration Claus and this matter was referred to Arbitration and Parties' Arbitrators have yet to agree on an arbitral umpire or a course of action for the Arbitration Proceeding.
- 39. Accordingly, Petitioners respectfully request that the Court issue an Order directing the parties appoint an arbitral umpire by employing the ranking method prescribed by ARIAS-US or a similar ranking method. Under the ranking method, each side names five nominees; each side selects three of the other side's nominees (i.e., strikes two); both sides rank the six finalists in order of preference; and the candidate with the best cumulative ranking becomes the umpire in light of being the closest thing to a consensus candidate. A copy of the ARIAS ranking method is annexed hereto as **Exhibit C** (www.arias-us.org).
 - 40. This petition is timely.

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41. No prior application for the relief requested herein has been made.

WHEREFORE, Petitioners request that this Court issued an Order pursuant to C.P.L.R. § 7504 and 9 U.S.C. § 5 directing that a competent and impartial person employed in the insurance industry be appointed through the ARIAS ranking method to serve as an arbitral umpire and the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal in accordance with the policy terms, and such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York July 20, 2018

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Į, PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

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II. STATEMENT OF FACTS

The facts relevant to this motion are set forth in the accompanying Petition in support of the application to appoint an arbitral umpire ("Petition"). In sum, Respondents filed an insurance claim for hail damage to their property located in McAllen, Texas. On September 28, 2016, Petitioners denied the claim because the covered damages did not exceed the Policy's Wind/Hail Deductible. Several months later, Respondents sent demand letters to Petitioners seeking payment in the amount of \$2,105,624.88.

.This matter was ultimately referred to arbitration pursuant to the Policy's arbitration provision, which provides that both choice of law and choice of forum shall be New York, and which further states in relevant part:

. C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference Case 7:18-cv-00285 Document 1-3 Filed in TXSD on 09/07/18 Page 192 of 338

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between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matter which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

(hereinafter, "Arbitration Clause"). See Petition, Exhibit A.

Following the referral to arbitration on August 4, 2017, the parties each selected their own arbitrator in accordance with the Policy's terms. Over the course of approximately eight

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months Petitioners' Arbitrator attempted to contact Respondents' Arbitrator to discuss scheduling a visit as well as selecting an arbitral umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal to no avail. Respondents recently replace their appointed Arbitrator. However, the Parties' Arbitrators have still been able to select an umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal. Accordingly, the Court's intervention is required.

III. **JURISDICTION**

Jurisdiction in this court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7501 as the Policy terms state, in relevant part, that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." See Exhibit A. Moreover, it is well settled that arbitration forum selection clauses confer personal jurisdiction by consent and, as such, New York courts have personal jurisdiction over parties that agree to arbitrate their disputes in New York. See e.g., Stolt Tankers BV v. Allianz Seguros, S.A., 2011 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 67755, at *4 (S.D.N.Y. June 16, 2011) (citing American Bureau of Shipping v. Tencara Shipyard S.P.A., 170 F.3d 349, 352 (2d Cir. 1999)).

IV. **VENUE**

Venue in this court is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7502 as the Policy terms state, in relevant part, that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." See Exhibit A. Venue in this County is proper pursuant to CPLR § 7502(a)(i) because Petitioners are doing business in New York County. Moreover, Courts in the jurisdiction where the arbitration is seated generally have primary jurisdiction over the arbitration proceeding and award.

¹ The "arbitral seat" is "the jurisdiction designated by the parties or by an entity empowered to do so on their behalf to be the juridical home of the arbitration." CBF Industria de Gusa S/A v. AMCI Holdings, Inc., 846 F.3d 35, 48 (2d Cir. 2017) (quoting Restatement (Third) of the U.S. Law of Int'l Commercial Arbitration §1-1 (s), (aa) (Am. Law Inst., Tentative Draft No. 2, 2012). An arbitral proceeding is ordinarily governed by the arbitration law of the jurisdiction in which it is seated, and the resulted award is deemed made in that jurisdiction. See Restatement (Third) of the U.S. Law of Int'l Commercial Arbitration §1-1 (aa).

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V. LEGAL ARGUMENT

A. THIS COURT IS EMPOWERED TO APPOINT AN ARBITRAL UMPIRE TO THE ARBITRATION TRIBUNAL

As the Court of Appeals has repeatedly held "[a]arbitration is a favored method of dispute resolution in New York." 166 Mamaroneck Ave. Corp. v. 151 E. Post Rd. Corp., 78 N.Y.2d 88, 93, 575 N.E.2d 104 (1991). The Court will enforce arbitration clauses and "interfere as little as possible with the freedom of the consenting parties to submit disputes to arbitration." Smith Barney Shearson Inc. v. Sacharow, 91 N.Y.2d 39, 49-50, 689 N.E.2d 884 (1997).

The C.P.L.R. expressly grants this Court authority to appoint an umpire to serve on an Arbitration Tribunal, proving in relevant part:

If the arbitration agreement does not provide for a method of appointment of an arbitrator, or if the agreed method fails or for any reason is not followed, or if an arbitrator fails to act and his successor has not been appointed, the court, on application of a party, shall appoint an arbitrator.

Similarly, the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 5, also grants this Court authority to appoint an umpire to serve on an Arbitration Tribunal as follows:

If in the agreement provision be made for a method of naming or appointing an arbitrator or arbitrators or an umpire, such method shall be followed; but if no method be provided therein, or if a method be provided and any party thereto shall fail to avail himself of such method, or if for any other reason there shall be a lapse in the naming of an arbitrator or arbitrators or umpire, or in filling a vacancy, then upon the application of either party to the controversy the court shall designate and appoint an arbitrator or arbitrators or umpire, as the case may require, who shall act under the said agreement with the same force and effect as if he or they had been specifically named therein; and unless otherwise provided in the agreement the arbitration shall be by a single arbitrator.

Here, it is undisputed that Petitioners invoked the Policy's Arbitration Clause on July 5, 2017, that this matter was referred to arbitration on August 4, 2017 and that both Petitioners and Respondents initially selected their own Arbitrators. Since that time Petitioners' Arbitrator repeatedly contacted Respondents' Arbitrator to discuss selection of an arbitral umpire and inspection of the subject property to no avail. More than eight months after his appointment and after Petitioner's Arbitrator's began to contact Respondents' Arbitrator, Respondents' Arbitrator

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resigned. Despite Respondents' appointment of a new Arbitrator, an umpire to serve as the third member of the Arbitration Tribunal has not been selected.

It is well often said that the twin goals of arbitration are settling disputes efficiently and avoiding long and expensive litigation. See e.g., DiRussa v. Dean Witter Reynolds Inc., 121 F.3d 818, 821 (2d Cir.1997). Given the lengthy delay that has already ensued, Court intervention at this time is warranted in order to empanel the full Arbitration Tribunal so that the Parties may agree on a course of action to proceed with the arbitration.

The Policy's Arbitration Clause requires the Arbitration Tribunal to consist of "persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims" but does not provide for a method of selection of the arbitral umpire. Further, C.P.L.R. 7504 does not set forth any substantive criteria for the appointment of the umpire or third arbitrator. Thus, the Court may adopt, and direct the parties to employ, any neutral selection method that it deems appropriate. See e.g., In re American Home Assurance Co., Case No. 653079/2012 (N.Y. Sup. Ct. Jan. 15, 2013) (granting petitioner's request to appoint an arbitral umpire pursuant to CPLR 7504).

Petitioners respectfully request that the Court issue an Order directing the parties appoint an arbitral umpire by employing the ranking method prescribed by ARIAS-US or a similar ranking method. Under the ranking method, each side names five nominees; each side selects three of the other side's nominees (i.e., strikes two); both sides rank the six finalists in order of preference; and the candidate with the best cumulative ranking becomes the umpire in light of being the closest to a consensus candidate. See Petition, Exhibit C.

B. THERE NEED NOT BE A DISAGREEMENT ON THE MERITS PRIOR TO THE APPOINTMENT OF AN ARBITRAL UMPIRE.

There need not be a disagreement on the merits of the claim prior to the appointment of an arbitral umpire. To the contrary, New York Courts have recognized that an Umpire may be FILED: NEW YORK COUNTY CLERK 07/20/2018 04:43 PM

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appointed at the outset, rather than waiting to determine if their Arbitrators will be unable to

agree, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of the arbitration proceeding. See e.g., In re

American Home Assur. Co., 958 N.Y.S.2d 870 (Sup Ct. N.Y. Co. 2013) (citing Lexington Ins.

Co. v. Odyssey America, Index No. 651033/2011 (Sup Ct, N.Y. County 2011)). In addition,

Courts have specifically held that the disagreement need not pertain to the merits of the case;

rather, a disagreement about the procedural rules to be applied may also be submitted to an

umpire, See Encyclopaedia Universalis S.A. v. Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc., 403 F3d 85, 90-

91 (2d Cir 2005).

There is also authority that supports court appointment of an Umpire at the outset, based

upon the proposition that party appointed arbitrators are not expected to be neutral and, thus, that

it is not necessary to wait for them to disagree before appointing an umpire. See e.g., Sphere

Drake Ins. Ltd. v. All Am. Life Ins. Co., 307 F. 3d 617, 620 (7th Cir. 2002) ("in the main, party

appointed arbitrators are supposed to be advocates"); Lozano v. Maryland Cas. Co., 850 F.2d

1470, 1472 (11th Cir. 1988) ("an arbitrator appointed by a party is only one step removed from

the controversy and need not be impartial"); Stef Shipping Corp. v. Norris Grain Corp., 209 F.

Supp. 249 (S.D.N.Y. 1962) (it is not sufficient to disqualify a party appointed arbitrator merely

because he is predisposed in favor of the appointing party).

Here, given the lengthy delay that has already ensued due to Respondents' Arbitrator's

lack of responsiveness and cooperation with Petitioners' Arbitrator's requests to appoint an

umpire and to schedule an inspection of the insured property, and Respondents' Arbitrators'

subsequent resignation from his post, Court intervention at this time is warranted in order to

empanel the full Arbitration Tribunal so that the Parties may agree on a course of action to

proceed with the arbitration.

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VI. CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, Petitioners respectfully request that this Court issued an Order directing the Parties appoint an arbitral umpire who is a competent and impartial person employed or engaged in a senior position in insurance underwriting or claims as required by the Policy's Arbitration Clause by employing the ranking method prescribed by ARIAS-US or a similar ranking method and such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York July 20, 2018

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By:

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<u>DEFENDANTS' RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS'</u> <u>MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ARBITRATOR</u>

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT

COMES NOW, Defendants, UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON doing business as CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON: **INDIAN HARBOR** INSURANCE COMPANY; QBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY; GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; LEXINGTON **INSURANCE** COMPANY; PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY; and INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANOVER SE, (collectively, the "Insurers"), and file this, their Response to Plaintiffs, IBS WAREHOUSING LLC and CI LOGISTICS LLC ("Plaintiffs") Motion for Appointment of Arbitrator and in support would show the Court as follows:

I. SUMMARY OF ARGUMENT

This Court referred this matter to arbitration in New York on August 4, 2017 and signed the agreed order from the parties. On or about August 9, 2017, Dale Frediani was appointed by the Insurers¹ who subscribe to the subject Policy of Insurance as their Arbitrator regarding Plaintiffs' insurance claim at their property located in McAllen, Texas, pursuant to the arbitration clause in the insurance Policy at issue in this arbitration.

Plaintiffs originally appointed Michael Krismer as their Arbitrator prior to September 5, 2017, who unexpectedly resigned his position effective June 14, 2018. While Mr. Krismer was serving in this role Mr. Frediani attempted to contact Mr. Krismer numerous times to discuss the arbitration and other than one voicemail in January 2018, Mr. Krismer did not respond to any phone calls or emails.

Following Mr. Krismer's abrupt resignation, Plaintiffs appointed Mr. Dan Stouffer to replace him. Mr. Frediani did not learn of Mr. Krismer's resignation nor Mr. Stouffer's appointment until July 2018 because Mr. Stouffer did not contact Mr. Frediani to advise him of his appointment in place of Mr. Krismer or to discuss the claim and the selection of an Umpire. Mr. Frediani learned of Mr. Stouffer's unilateral proposal of a single individual to serve as Umpire, Mr. Lawrence Ruff, III, on August 8, 2018, when counsel for Plaintiffs and the Insurers sent Mr. Frediani and Mr. Stouffer a joint email requesting that they consider Mr. Ruff or undertake to select another Umpire. These gentlemen have just commenced the procedure to appoint an Umpire following a telephone conference with Mr. Ruff on August 14, 2018. While no agreement on Mr.

¹ Underwriters at Lloyd's London doing business as Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's London, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, Steadfast Insurance Company, General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona, United Specialty Insurance Company, Lexington Insurance Company, Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company and International Insurance Company of Hanover SE are collectively hereinafter referred to as the "Insurers".

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Ruff could be made, Mr. Frediani and Mr. Stouffer are actively engaging in the process of

appointing an Umpire and in fact jointly requested an extension of the deadline put in place by

counsel for the parties from August 23rd to September 11th in order to allow them to use their best

efforts to appoint an Umpire. (See Affidavit of Dale Frediani attached as Exhibit A).

The terms of the Policy require that the Arbitrators select an Umpire by mutual agreement and

the Court cannot and should not substitute its own judgment for that of the Arbitrators.

Unfortunately, while there was an initial delay in this selection, that impediment, Mr. Krismer, has

been removed from the process and the two current appointed Arbitrators are actively working

together to select an Umpire. Accordingly, the Insurers respectfully request that Plaintiffs' motion

to appoint Lawrence Ruff as Umpire be denied and that, instead, the Court direct the Parties to

continue to engage in a neutral selection process for the appointment of an Umpire.

II. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Petitioners issued a policy of insurance to Respondents which provided Commercial

Property coverage for the property located at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas for the

policy period of May 28, 2016 through May 28, 2017 subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions

and limitations contained in the Policy. A copy of the Policy is annexed hereto as Exhibit B.

On June 1, 2016, Respondents submitted a Property Loss Notice for an alleged loss that

occurred on May 31, 2016 at 6800 International Parkway, McAllen, Texas, which was described

as "roof damage due to high winds".

Petitioners retained Pacesetter to inspect the loss. Petitioners also retained Rimkus

Consulting Group Inc. to provide engineering services and to determine the extent of the roof

damage, if any, caused by the May 31, 2016 storm. Based on the Rimkus engineer's report and

conclusions regarding which portions of the roof were damaged as a result of the storm and which

portions exhibited signs of normal age-related deterioration, the Pacesetter adjuster prepared a repair estimate for the storm related damage in the total amount of \$23,867.18.

On September 22, 2016, Petitioners denied any obligation to make payment to Respondents because the covered damages did not exceed the Policy's \$50,000 wind/hail deductible.

Several months later, on or about May 4, 2017, Respondents sent demand letters to Petitioners seeking payment in the amount of \$2,105,624.88 allegedly due to the May 31, 2016 storm. Thereafter, on or about May 24, 2017, Respondents commenced an action in the District Court for Hidalgo County, Texas against Petitioners seeking \$2,105,624.88 in damages.

On July 5, 2017, counsel for the Petitioners sent a letter to counsel for the Respondents invoking the Policy's Arbitration Clause. The Parties ultimately agreed to submit this matter to Arbitration pursuant to the Arbitration Clause in the Policy. Consequently, the Texas Lawsuit was stayed.

The Policy's Arbitration Clause states, in pertinent part:

C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matter which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

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III. ARGUMENTS AND AUTHORITIES

Petitioners invoked the Policy's Arbitration Clause on July 5, 2017, that this matter was referred to arbitration on August 4, 2017 and that both Petitioners and Respondents initially selected their own Arbitrators. Now, more than a year later, the Parties have yet to move forward with the Arbitration process, primarily because Plaintiffs first selection of arbitrator was unresponsive and unexpectedly resigned in June 2018. As Plaintiffs noted in their motion, Mr. Krismer cited a heavy workload as reason for his abrupt resignation which likely contributed to his lack of responsiveness. Given the lengthy delay that has already ensued, Court intervention at this time is warranted in order to empanel the full Arbitration Tribunal so that the Parties may agree on a course of action to proceed with the arbitration. What is clear from Plaintiffs' motion is that both Parties are now in agreement that an Umpire is needed.

Plaintiffs' comments about whether a site inspection has taken place are irrelevant to this motion. In addition, Plaintiffs' contention that the Insurers have somehow acted inappropriately by filing their Petition for an Order directing the Parties to appoint an Umpire in New York is wholly without merit. The Policy's Arbitration Clause provides that the "seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York." The "arbitral seat" is the jurisdiction designated by the parties to be the juridical home of the arbitration. See e.g., CBF Indústria de Gusa S/A v. AMCI Holdings, Inc., 846 F.3d 35, 48 (2d Cir. 2017); Karaha Bodas Co. v. Negara, 335 F.3d 357, 364 (5th Cir. 2003). In its August 4, 2017 Order referring this matter to arbitration, the Court retained "any rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act." Respectfully, the Hidalgo County Court does not have jurisdiction over matters pertaining to this arbitration under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act. Rather, under the Federal Arbitration Act, Courts will enforce the parties' choice of venue clauses in their arbitration agreements. See Dupuy-Busching General Agency, Inc. v. Ambassador Ins. Co., 524 F.2d 1275 (5th Cir. 1975). Therefore, New York is the appropriate venue for this motion.

Nevertheless, it is clear that both Plaintiffs and the Insurers now agree that an Umpire is needed. Indeed, the Parties initially agreed to adjourn both pending motions to allow the Arbitrators time to appoint an Umpire. On August 21, 2018, the Arbitrators jointly requested additional time to reach an agreement on the appointment of an Umpire. *See* Affidavit of Dale Frediani, dated August 23, 2018 ("Frediani Aff."). However, Plaintiffs' counsel would not agree to adjourn the hearing on this motion which seeks to circumvent the arbitrators' own process of selecting an Umpire with court intervention.

In their motion papers, Plaintiffs ask the Court to appoint Lawrence Ruff as the Umpire for this arbitration. The Parties Arbitrators had a telephone call to vet Mr. Ruff on August 14, 2018.

See Frediani Aff. On August 21, 2018, the Insurers' Arbitrator advised Plaintiffs' Arbitrator that he is not comfortable with Mr. Ruff serving as the Umpire in this matter. See id. The Insurers' Arbitrator does not believe that Mr. Ruff is qualified to serve as a neutral Umpire in this arbitration for several reasons, including background, experience and his area of expertise as an estimator which lies outside the requirements of the Arbitration clause. See id. The Arbitration provision clearly and unambiguously states that "the Arbitrators ... shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire." Because the Insurers' Arbitrator has objected to the appointment of Mr. Ruff, there is no mutual agreement of the two Arbitrators as required by the Arbitration clause. Accordingly, it would be inappropriate and contrary to the terms of the Policy for this Court to appoint Mr. Ruff as an Umpire over Mr. Frediani's objection.

Instead, the Insurers respectfully request that the Court issue an Order directing the parties appoint an arbitral Umpire by employing the ranking method prescribed by ARIAS-US or a similar ranking method. Under the ranking method, each side names five nominees; each side selects three of the other side's nominees (i.e., strikes two); both sides rank the six finalists in order of preference; and the candidate with the best cumulative ranking becomes the Umpire in light of being the closest to a consensus candidate. A copy of the ARIAS ranking method is annexed hereto as Exhibit C (www.arias-us.org). By directing the parties to engage in a neutral selection process for the appointment of an Umpire, the Arbitrators will then be able to appoint an Umpire by mutual agreement as required by the Policy.

Nevertheless, if the Court is inclined to select an Umpire at this juncture, Mr. Frediani has proposed Charles J. Reilly, Jr. and Desmond Sullivan as potential Umpire candidates. Copies their CVs are annexed hereto as Exhibit D.

IV. PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Defendants pray that the Court enter an order denying Plaintiffs' Motion for Appointment of Arbitrator and order the parties' respective arbitrators to mutually agree on the selection of an Umpire via their own mutually agreed upon process or by using the ranking process prescribed by ARIAS-US as described herein OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE Defendants pray that the Court enter an order denying Plaintiffs' Motion for Appointment of Arbitrator and enter an order appointing either Charles J. Reilly, Jr. or Desmond Sullivan as Umpire, and for any other relief to which Defendants' may be justly entitled.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ J. Andrew Norman

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ATTORNEYS FOR **DEFENDANTS** THOSE CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S LONDON SUBSCRIBING **SEVERALLY** TO **CERTIFICATE** NUMBER AMR-53478-01, **INDIAN** HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY, **OBE SPECIALTY INSURANCE** COMPANY, STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, **GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY** OF

ARIZONA, UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY POLICY, AND INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANNOVER

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was forwarded to all known counsel of record in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure via electronic filing and service.

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DALE S. FREDIANI, SR., being duly sworn, deposes and says that:

- 1. I am a Principal with RMG Consulting, LLC in Parsippany New Jersey, and have been since December 1999. I serve as claims management consultant, auditor, arbitrator and appraiser in the State of New York and nationwide.
- 2. On or about August 9, 2017, I was appointed by the Insurers¹ who subscribe to the subject Policy of Insurance as their Arbitrator regarding Plaintiff's insurance claim at their property located in McAllen, Texas pursuant to the arbitration clause in the insurance Policy at issue in this arbitration.

¹ Underwriters at Lloyd's London doing business as Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's London, Indian Harbor Insurance Company, QBE Specialty Insurance Company, Steadfast Insurance Company, General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona, United Specialty Insurance Company, Lexington Insurance Company, Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company and International Insurance Company of Hanover SE are collectively hereinafter referred to as the "Insurers".

- 3. Prior to September 5, 2017, the Respondents appointed Michael Krismer as their Arbitrator.
- 4. I attempted to contact Mr. Krismer numerous times to discuss the arbitration and, other than one voicemail in January 2018, Mr. Krismer did not respond to my phone calls and emails.
- 5. My intentions in attempting to discuss the arbitration with Mr. Krismer were to introduce myself, discuss procedure and to propose that we work to mutually select an Umpire as called for in the Arbitration clause.
- 6. I did not learn of Mr. Krismer's resignation and Mr. Stouffer's appointment until July 2018.
- 7. I first learned of Mr. Stouffer's proposal that Lawrence Ruff III serve as an Umpire for this arbitration on August 8, 2018 when counsel for the Plaintiffs and the Insurers sent me and Mr. Stouffer a joint email requesting that we consider Mr. Ruff or undertake to select another Umpire by August 23, 2018.
- 8. Mr. Stouffer and I had a joint telephone call with Mr. Ruff to assess his qualifications on August 14, 2018.
- 9. I do not believe that Mr. Ruff is qualified to serve as a neutral Umpire in this arbitration for several reasons, including background, experience and his area of expertise as an estimator which lies outside the requirements of the Arbitration clause.
- 10. On August 21, 2018, I advised Mr. Stouffer that I am not comfortable with Mr. Ruff serving as our Umpire in this matter.

- 11. I suggested to Mr. Stouffer that we each proposed three candidates and then we can each strike two of the of the three and do a random selection from the remaining two, or we can each rank all 6 and select whoever has the highest combined score.
- 12. Mr. Stouffer appeared amenable to employing one of these neutral selection methods for selecting our Umpire.
- 13. On August 21, 2018, Mr. Stouffer and I jointly requested that counsel for the Plaintiffs and the Insurers extend the August 23, 2018 deadline for us to select an Umpire to September 11, 2018.
- 14. It is my understanding that Plaintiff's counsel would not agree to extend the deadline.
- 15. Nevertheless, I am optimistic that Mr. Stouffer and I will be able to reach an agreement on the appointment of an Umpire in the near future.
- 16. The statements contained in this Affidavit are based upon my own personal knowledge and, if called as a witness, I can competently and truthfully testify to these facts.
 - 17. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Delle S. Frediani, Sr.

STATE OF New Yersey) ss COUNTY OF Morris)

On the 2 day of August in the year 2018 before me, the undersigned, personally appeared Dale Frediani, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual executed the instrument.

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This notice is for information only and does not become a part or condition of the attached document.

AVISO IMPORTANTE

Para obtener informacion o para someter una queja:

Puede comunicarse con el Departamento de Seguros de Texas para obtener informacion acerca de companias, coberturas, derechos o quejas al:

1-800-252-3439

Puede escribir al Departamento de Seguros de Texas

P. O. Box 149104

Austin, TX 78714-9104

Fax: (512) 475-1771

Web: http:// www.tdi.state.tx.us

E-mail: ConsumerProtection@tdl.state.tx.us

DISPUTAS SOBRE PRIMAS O RECLAMOS:

Si tlene una disputa concerniente a su prima o a un reclamo, debe comunicarse con el agente primero. Si no se resuelve la disputa, puede entonces comunicarse con el departamento (TDI).

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TEXAS SURPLUS LINES CLAUSE

This insurance contract is with an Insurer not licensed to transact insurance in this state and is issued and delivered as surplus line coverage under the Texas insurance statutes. The Texas Department of Insurance does not audit the finances or review the solvency of the surplus lines Insurer providing this coverage, and the Insurer is not a member of the Property and Casualty Insurance Guaranty Association created under Chapter 462, Insurance Code. Chapter 225, Insurance Code, requires payment of a 4.85% tax on gross premium.

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06/01/16 Dated Correspondent and/or Program Manager for the Company(ies) AmRisc, LLC, 20405 SH 249, Suite 430, Houston, TX 77070

State stamp if applicable The Correspondent and/or Program Manager is not an Insurer hereunder and neither **CERTÇO 09 15** is nor shall be liable for any loss or claim whatsoever.

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NAMED INSURED Account No. 395497 IBS Warehousing LLC

Forms and Endorsements

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ENDORSEMENT 1

This endorsement, effective on 05/28/2016 , at 12:01 A.M. standard time, forms a part of:

Account No. 395497

Certain Underwriters at Lloyds, London Certificate No. Indian Harbor Insurance Company Policy No. QBE Specialty Insurance Company Policy No. Steadfast Insurance Company Policy No. General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona Policy No. United Specialty Insurance Company Policy No. Lexington Insurance Company Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company International Insurance Company of Hannover SE

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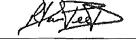
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Issued to: IBS Warehousing LLC

By:

See Contract Allocation Endorsement AR CA



Authorized Representative

- 1. Replacement Cost Valuation shall apply as regards to Real Property; Except roof coverings to be Actual Cash Value if originally installed or last fully replaced prior to 2004.
- 2. Coverage explicitly excludes all flooding, including but not limited to flooding during windstorm events.
- 3. Coverage excludes all damage directly or indirectly caused by any Named Storm in existence upon AmRisc receipt of written request to bind.
- 4. All Buildings with outstanding damage are excluded. Contact Underwriter if waiver needed.
- 5. Any additional premium or return premium under \$500 shall be waived.
- 6. Warrant fire protection sprinklers are provided throughout all buildings, as noted in AmRisc Application - Statement of Values.
- 7. Warrant no losses in the last 5 years on properties to be covered unless specified in AmRisc Application - Statement of Values.

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CONTRACT ALLOCATION ENDORSEMENT

This insurance is effected with certain insurance underwriters (hereinafter called the "Underwriters"). The following words shall be deemed to be synonymous: "Underwriters", "Insurers" and "Company".

The liability of each Underwriter on this contract with the Insured is limited to the participation amount shown in the schedule below. The liability of each separate contract listed and for each Underwriter represented thereby for any loss or losses or amounts payable is several as to each and shall not exceed its participation percentage shown below and there is no joint liability of any Underwriters pursuant to this contract. An Underwriter shall not have its liability hereunder increased or decreased by reason of failure or delay of another Underwriter, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives. Any loss otherwise payable under the provisions of the attached policy that exceeds the allocation of "Risk" as defined herein shall be bourne proportionately by the contracts as to their limit of liability at the time and place of the loss bears to the total allocated limits herein.

This contract shall be constructed as a separate contract between the Insured and each of the Underwriters. This evidence of coverage consists of separate sections of a composite insurance for all Underwriter's at Lloyd's combined and separate policies issued by the insurance company(ies), all as identified below. This evidence of coverage does not constitute in any manner or form a joint certificate of coverage by Underwriter's at Lloyd's with any other insurance company(ies).

In witness whereof, the following Underwriters execute and attest these presents, and subscribe for the amount of insurance provided.

The security is as noted below.

LAYER OF PARTIC	CIPATION	PERILS (AS PER POLICY)	CONTRACT#	COMPANY CODE	POLICY # / CERTIFICATE #	PARTICIPATION	rat
\$100,000 excess of	Deductibles	СҮВ	QBE16	QBE	MSP-20595-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	GSI16	GSI	10T029659-05172-16-01		
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\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	B123016AMR1022	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	8123016AMR1139	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	AR EXCL NW	B123016AMR253	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	NW	B123016AMR1022	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	NW	B123016AMR1139	Lioyds	AMR-53478-01		
\$11,800,000 excess of	Deductibles	NW	B123016AMR252	Lloyds	AMR-53478-01		
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ALLOCATION OF LIABILITY:

The contracts herein cover mutually exclusive perils. The maximum limit of liability is not to exceed the per occurrence participation stated herein, regardless of whether multiple perils and multiple contracts are involved. Recognition of liability by either of the contracts reduces the limit of liability of any corresponding contract.

The liability otherwise determined to exist under the terms and conditions of this policy shall be bourne by the contract covering the proximate cause of loss identified in the allocation of security. Any loss covered by the policy by a peril not allocated to a contract herein shall be bourne by the contract covering the most comprehensive perils, generally in accordance with the ISO Special Causes of Loss Contracts. The liability of the policy shall not be increased or decreased by any condition of the allocation to specific contracts on this endorsement.

Covered perils shall be defined by the applicable forms attached to this policy or otherwise as per the industry standard definition.

SYMBOLS USED HEREIN:	CAUSE OF LOSS	SYMBOL	CODE	COMPANY
	Basic	ВА	Lloyds	Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London
Broad Special All Risk excl F/Q Difference in Conditions Windstorm and Hail		BR SP	Indian H	Indian Harbor Insurance Company
		AR	QBE	QBE Specialty Insurance Company
		DIC WH	Steadfast	Steadfast Insurance Company
Named Windstorm		NW	GSI	General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona
All Other Windstorm Named Storm Flood		AOW NF	USI	United Specialty Insurance Company
	Flood	F	LEX	Lexington Insurance Company
All Other Flood Earthquake		AOF Q	Peslic	Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company
Tria Coverages		Т	HAN	International Insurance Company of Hannover
Certified Terrorism as Defined by				
TRIA, if available		T1		
Non-Certified Terrorism		T2		
Equipment Breakdown		EBD		
Excluding		EXCL		
Including		INCL		
Cyber	and Data Compromise	CYB		

"Risk" as per contract terms, shall be defined as follows:

<u>Risk</u>

Basis of Limits

Flood and Earthquake
Named Windstorm
Wind and Hail EXCL NW
All Other Perils EXCL F, Q
T1 and T2

Any One Occurrence and Aggregate

Maximum "Risk" is defined as

Any One Occurrence

This schedule forms a part of the original Account #

395497

by

Authorized Signature

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CERTAIN UNDERWRITER'S AT LLOYD'S, LONDON - Syndicate List

If Certain Underwriter's at Lloyd's, London are listed as security on the Contract Allocation Endorsement attached to the policy, the list of syndicates is shown below:

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Certificate #:	AMR-53478-01		
	Syndicate Number	Syndicate Abbreviation	
	510	KLN	
•	33	HIS	
	1886	QBP	
	510	KLN	
	2003	SJC	
	2987	BRT	
	4444	CNP	
	1980	ISN	
	2010	MMX	
	382	HDU	
	5000	SPL	
	2007	NVA	
	2121	ARG	
	780	ADV	
	2007	NVA	
	2014	ACA	
	1200	AMA	
	2015	СНИ	
	2623	BEA	
	1225	AES	
	2015	CHN	
	2987	BRT	
	727	SAM	
	780	ADV	
	1183	TAL	
	1861	ANV	
	5820	JCD	
	1969	APL	
	318	MSP	
	5820	JCD	
	1861	ANV	
	727	SAM	
	623	BEA	

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COMMERCIAL PROPERTY COMPASS FORM

In consideration of the premium charged, this policy covers for direct physical loss of or damage to the Covered Property caused by a covered Cause of Loss occurring during the policy period. Coverage shall be subject to the terms, conditions, definitions, exclusions, limitations and provisions contained herein.

SECTION I - COVERAGES AND LIMITS OF LIABILITY

Terms which appear in boldface type have special meaning. See Section VIII. POLICY DEFINITIONS.

- A. NAMED INSURED: First Named Insured (as shown in the Declarations) and/or its affiliated and subsidiary companies and/or corporations as now exist or may hereafter be constituted or acquired including their interests as may appear in partnerships or joint ventures which the insured is responsible or legally obligated to insure.
- B. LOSS PAYEE(S), LENDER'S LOSS PAYEE(S), MORTGAGEE(S), AND ADDITIONAL INSURED(S): Per Certificates of Insurance (or similar document, list or schedule) on file with AmRisc. Any Certificates of Insurance issued in connection with this Policy shall be issued solely as a matter of convenience or information (and do not alter or amend coverage) for the addressee(s) or holders(s) of said Certificates of Insurance, except where any Loss Payee(s), Lender's Loss Payee(s), Mortgagee(s), or Additional Insured(s) are named pursuant to the Special Provisions of said Certificate of Insurance. In the event any Loss Payee(s), Lender's Loss Payee(s), Mortgagee(s), or Additional insured(s) are so named by contract, this Policy shall be deemed to have endorsed accordingly, subject to all other terms, conditions and exclusions stated herein, and provided the Certificate of Insurance is issued prior to a loss. Such endorsement adding any Loss Payee(s), Lender's Loss Payee(s), Mortgagee(s), or Additional Insured(s) will be deemed attached to the policy and the Insured will pay any required premium.
- C. COVERAGE TERRITORY: Coverage under this Policy applies to Occurrences within the United States of America and Canada.
- D. LIMIT OF LIABILITY ("Policy Limit"): The total maximum liability for all insurance companies and Lloyd's of London, London England (all hereinafter, the "Companies" as shown on the Policy Declarations and Contract Allocation Endorsement pages) in any one Occurrence as a result of all covered loss or damage regardless of the number of Locations, coverages, or perils insured under this Policy shall not exceed the lesser of: 1. (a, b, or c; as indicated by an 'X'); OR 2.:
 - As respects each Location insured by this Policy: combined stated values for all categories of Covered Property and Time Element exposures shown for that Location on the latest Statement of Values or other documentation on file with AmRisc;
 - As respects each item (e.g. Building, Personal Property, Time Element), insured by this Policy: 100.00 % of the total stated value shown for that item on the latest Statement of Values or other documentation on file with AmRisc;

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As respects each Location insured by this Policy: % of the total combined stated values for all categories of Covered Property shown for that % of the total combined stated values for Location; and separately, Time Element shown for that Location; all on the latest Statement of Values or other documentation on file with AmRisc;

OR

2. \$11,800,000

maximum limit of liability.

E. SUBLIMITS OF LIABILITY: Sublimits of Liability stated below are included within and not in addition to the Limit of Liability shown in Paragraph D., above. These Sublimits of Liability and the specified limits of liability contained in the forms, endorsements and extensions attached, if any, are per Occurrence, unless otherwise Indicated.

If the words "NOT COVERED" are shown, instead of a limit, sublimit amount or number of days, or if a specified amount or number of days is not shown corresponding to any coverage or Covered Cause of Loss, then no coverage is provided for that coverage or Covered Cause of Loss.

1. Earth Movement:

\$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate, for all insured Locations, combined; however,

further subject to:

a. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate for all Earth Movement in California, Alaska and

Hawali, combined.

b. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate for Pacific Northwest States, combined.

c. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate for New Madrid Earthquake Zone Counties.

combined,

2. Flood:

\$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate, for all insured Locations, combined; however,

further subject to:

a. \$ NOT COVERED

Annual Aggregate as respects Flood for all Locations combined.

wholly or partially within Special Flood Hazard Areas.

3. Named Storm:

\$ N/A

Regardless of the number of Coverages, Locations or Perils involved including, but not limited to, wind, wind gusts, tornados, cyclones, hail, or rain, all arising out of a Named Storm, the maximum amount the Companies will pay per Occurrence as respects all covered loss or damage.

In the event a loss involves more than one of the above perils (E.1. - E.3.) and provided it is a covered peril(s), each peril's sublimit above shall be considered a separate sublimit apart from the other peril's sublimits above.

However, the Sublimits below (E.4. - E.35.) shall be considered sublimits within the above applicable covered peril sublimits (E.1. - E.3.).

4. Accounts Receivable:

\$1,000,000

5. Builder's Risks:

\$250,000 Property in the Course of Construction or renovation; excluding Soft Costs.

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6. Builder's Risk Soft Costs: \$25,000

7. Civil or Military Authority: 30 Days, but in no event will the Companies pay more than

\$1,000,000.

8. Contingent Time Element: 60 Days or \$500,000; whichever is less.

 Debris Removal: The Companies' total liability for Debris Removal per Occurrence for all insured Locations sustaining covered direct physical loss or damage payable under this Policy shall not exceed the lesser of:

a. 25% of the amount of covered physical loss or damage to covered Property (excluding Time Element), payable for all insured **Locations**: or

b. \$5,000,000.

10. Electronic Data and Media: \$100,000

11. Errors and Omissions: \$25,000; subject to all other sublimits contained herein.

12. Extended Period of Indemnity: 180 Days

13. Extra Expense/Expediting Expense; \$NOT COVERED

14. Fine Arts: \$250,000

15. Fire Brigade Charges: \$100,000

16. Fungus, Molds, Mildew, Spores, Yeast: \$15,000 Annual Aggregate

17. Ingress/Egress Coverage; 30 Days; but in no event will the Companies pay

more than \$100,000.

18. Leased or Rented Equipment; \$100,000; but not to exceed:

\$25,000 any one item.

19. Leasehold Interest: \$100,000

20. Limited Pollution Coverage: \$100,000 Annual Aggregate

21. Lock Replacement: \$25,000

22. Miscellaneous Unnamed Locations: \$100,000; subject to all other sublimits contained herein.

23. Newly Acquired Property: 60 Days but in no event will the Companies pay

more than \$1,000,000,

subject to all other sublimits contained herein.

24. Ordinance or Law:

a. Coverage A: Included in Building Limit.

b. Coverage B: 20% of the scheduled Building value, not to exceed \$1,000,000.

c. Coverage C: Included with Coverage B.

d. Coverage D: Included in the Time Element (if covered).

25. Ordinary Payroll: 30 Days (provided values are included in the reported Time

Element Values).

26. Plants, lawns, trees or shrubs: \$100,000

Any one plant, lawn, tree or shrub: \$25,000

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27. Professional Fees:

per occurrence and annual aggregate for all \$100,000

claims combined.

28. Reclaiming, restoring or repairing land improvements: \$10,000

29. Reward Reimbursement:

\$25,000

30. Royalties:

\$25,000

31. Service Interruption:

\$100,000; however, a qualifying period of 72 hours

applies to this coverage (if Time Element is covered).

32. Spoilage:

\$25,000

33. Time Element Monthly Limitation: 1/12 Monthly; applicable to all Time Element coverages, except

those that have a sublimit in this Paragraph E.

34. Transit:

\$100,000

35. Valuable Papers and Records:

\$1,000,000

- F. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE: In the event of a Covered Cause of Loss hereunder, total liability of the Companies shall be limited to the least of the following:
 - 1. The actual adjusted amount of loss, less applicable deductible(s), or
 - 2. The limit of liability or applicable sublimit of liability shown in this Policy or endorsed hereon.
- G. DEDUCTIBLE: Each claim for loss or damage under this Policy shall be subject to a per Occurrence deductible amount of:

1) \$ 5,000

Property Damage & Time Element, combined; OR

2)\$ N/A Property Damage; and

\$ N/A Time Element.

unless a specific deductible shown below applies for the indicated peril(s).

1. Flood:

a. \$ N/A Per Occurrence, except as follows in Subparagraph G.1.b.:

b. As respects Locations wholly or partially within Special Flood Hazard Areas:

Maximum available limits with National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), whether purchased or not; plus \$ N/A per Occurrence,

2. Earth Movement:

- a. \$ N/A Per Occurrence, except as follows in Subparagraph G.2.b., G.2.c. or G.2.d.:
- N/A % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss or damage, subject to a minimum of any one Occurrence, as respects Locations in California, Hawaii and Alaska; N/A
- % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss or damage, subject to a minimum of N/A any one Occurrence, as respects Locations in the Pacific Northwest States; N/A

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d. N/A % of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss or damage, subject to a minimum of any one Occurrence, as respects Locations in the New Madrid Earthquake N/A Zone Counties.

3. Windstorm or Hail:

a. \$ 50,000 Per Occurrence; OR

N/A Per Occurrence, Per Location;

except as follows in Subparagraphs G.3.b. or G.3.c.:

% of the TIV at each Location involved in the loss arising out of a Named Storm, subject b. 10 to a minimum deductible of \$50,000 any one Occurrence; as respects Locations in: All Locations, as per Statement of Values on file with AmRisc.

% of the TIV at each Building involved in the loss arising out of a Named Storm, subject c. N/A to a minimum deductible of \$ any one Occurrence; as respects Locations in: N/A.

The following two paragraphs apply to Subparagraphs G.1. through G.3., inclusive:

In each case of loss or damage covered by this Policy, the Companies shall not be liable unless the Insured sustains loss or damage in a single Occurrence greater than any applicable deductible described herein and then, if this is a quota share Policy, only for each Companies' share in excess of such deductible. When this Policy covers more than one Location, the deductible shall apply against the total loss or damage covered by this Policy in any one Occurrence, unless otherwise stated in this Paragraph G.

If two or more peril deductible amounts provided in this Policy apply to a single Occurrence, the total to be deducted shall not exceed the largest deductible applicable, unless otherwise stated in this Policy. However, if a Time Element deductible and another deductible apply to a single occurrence, then the Companies shall apply both deductibles to the Occurrence.

SECTION II - COVERED CAUSES OF LOSS

- A. COVERED CAUSES OF LOSS: This Policy insures against all risks of direct physical loss or damage to Covered Property, except as excluded.
- B. EXCLUSIONS: The Companies do not insure for loss or damage caused directly or Indirectly by any of the following. Such loss or damage is excluded regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any sequence to the loss or damage. These exclusions apply whether or not the loss event results in widespread damage or affects a substantial area:
 - 1. NUCLEAR, BIOLOGICAL, CHEMICAL AND RADIOLOGICAL EXCLUSIONS
 - a. The Companies will not pay for any loss, damage, cost or expense, whether real or alleged, that is caused, results from, is exacerbated by or otherwise impacted by, either directly or indirectly, any of the following:
 - Nuclear Hazard including, but not limited to, nuclear reaction, nuclear detonation, nuclear radiation, radioactive contamination and all agents, materials, products or substances, whether engineered or naturally occurring, involved therein or released thereby;

- 2) Biological Hazard including, but not limited to, any biological and/or poisonous or pathogenic agent, material, product or substance, whether engineered or naturally occurring, that induces or is capable of inducing physical distress, illness, or disease;
- Chemical Hazard including, but not limited to, any chemical agent, material, product or substance;
- 4) Radioactive Hazard Including, but not limited to, any electromagnetic, optical, or ionizing radiation or energy, including all generators and emitters thereof, whether engineered or naturally occurring.
- b. The provisions of subparagraphs a.2) and a.3) will not apply where the agent, material, product or substance at issue is utilized in the course of business by an Insured.
- c. Only if and to the extent required by state law, the following exception to the exclusions in Paragraph a, applies:

If a hazard excluded under Paragraph a. results in Fire (and provided Fire Is a Covered Peril), the Companies will pay for the loss, damage, cost or expense caused by that Fire, subject to all applicable policy provisions including the Limit of Insurance on the affected Covered Property. Such coverage for Fire applies only to direct loss or damage by Fire to Covered Property. This coverage does not apply to insurance provided under Time Element, including but not limited to, Business Income, Rental Value or Extra Expense coverage or endorsements that apply to those coverages.

- 2. a. War, hostile or warlike action in time of peace or war, whether or not declared, including action in hindering, combating, or defending against an actual, impending, or expected attack:
 - i. By any government or sovereign power (de jure or de facto) or by any authority maintaining or using military, naval, or air forces; or
 - ii. By military, naval, or air forces; or
 - iii. By an agent of any such government, power, authority, or force;
 - b. Any weapon of war employing atomic fission or radioactive force, whether in time of peace or war, whether or not its discharge was accidental; or
 - c. Insurrection, rebellion, revolution, civil war, usurped power, or action taken by governmental authority in hindering combating, or defending against such **Occurrence**, seizure or destruction;

Including any consequence of Subparagraphs 2.a., 2.b., or 2.c. above.

3. Any fraudulent or dishonest act or acts, intended to result in financial gain, committed alone or in collusion with others: by any proprietor, partner, director, trustee, officer or employee of the Insured (including leased employees), or by any party to whom the property may have been entrusted (other than a carrier for hire).

However, a willful act of destruction by an employee of the Insured (including leased employees), or others listed above without the knowledge of the Insured is covered.

4. Asbestos

a) The Companies will not pay for loss, damage or remediation expenses caused by or resulting from the presence of asbestos or asbestos-containing materials. As used in this exclusion, remediation expenses are expenses incurred for or in connection with the investigation, monitoring, removal, disposal, treatment, abatement or neutralization of asbestos or asbestos-containing materials to the extent required by federal, state or local laws, regulations or statutes or any subsequent amendments thereof to address asbestos.

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 b) However, this Asbestos exclusion does not apply to the extent that coverage is provided under the following:

This policy insures asbestos located within an insured **Building** or structure, and then only that part of the asbestos which has been physically damaged during the policy period by one of these Listed Perils:

FIRE; SMOKE; EXPLOSION; LIGHTNING; WINDSTORM; HAIL; DIRECT IMPACT OF VEHICLE, AIRCRAFT OR VESSEL; RIOT OR CIVIL COMMOTION; VANDALISM OR MALICIOUS MISCHIEF; ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF FIRE PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

This coverage is subject to all limitations in the policy and, in addition, to each of the following specific limitations:

- The said Building or structure must be insured under this policy for damage by this Listed Peril.
- b. The Listed Peril must be the immediate, sole cause of the damage to the asbestos.
- c. The Insured must report to the Companies the existence and cost of the damage as soon as practicable after the Listed Peril first damaged the asbestos. However, this policy does not insure any such damage first reported to the Companies more than 12 (twelve) months after the expiration, or termination, of the policy period.
- d. Insurance under this policy in respect of asbestos shall not include any sum relating to:
 - (1) any faults in the design, manufacture or installation of the asbestos;
 - (2) asbestos not physically damaged by a Listed Peril Including any governmental or regulatory authority direction or request of whatsoever nature relating to undamaged asbestos.
- Pollution/Contamination Exclusion NMA 2340 11/24/1988 (USA date) - amended

Seepage And/Or Pollution And/Or Contamination Exclusion

This Policy does not insure:

- (a) any loss, damage, cost or expense, or
- (b) any increase in insured loss, damage, cost or expense, or
- (c) any loss, damage, cost, expense, fine or penalty, which is incurred, sustained or imposed by order, direction, instruction or request of, or by any agreement with, any court, government agency or any public, civil or military authority, or threat thereof, (and whether or not as a result of public or private litigation), which arises from any kind of seepage or any kind of pollution and/or contamination, or threat thereof, whether or not caused by or resulting from a peril insured, or from steps or measures taken in connection with the avoidance, prevention, abatement, mitigation, remediation, clean-up or removal of such seepage or pollution and/or contamination or threat thereof.

The term "any kind of seepage or any kind of pollution and/or contamination" as used in this clause includes (but is not limited to):

(a) seepage of, or pollution and/or contamination by, anything, including but not limited to, any material designated as a "hazardous substance" by the United States Environmental Protection Agency or as a "hazardous material" by the United States Department of Transportation, or

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defined as a "toxic substance" by the Canadian Environmental Protection Act for the purposes of Part II of that Act, or any substance designated or defined as toxic, dangerous, hazardous or deleterious to persons or the environment under any other Federal, State, Provincial, Municipal or other law, ordinance or regulation; and

- (b) the presence, existence, or release of anything which endangers or threatens to endanger the health, safety or welfare of persons or the environment.
- 6. Delay, loss of market, or loss of use.
- 7. Indirect, remote, or consequential loss or damage.
- 8. Mysterious disappearance or loss or shortage disclosed on taking inventory or any unexplained loss.
- 9. Voluntary parting with title or possession of any property, including voluntary parting which is the result of any fraudulent scheme, trick, devise, false pretenses, or any other similar act.
- 10. Faulty workmanship, material, construction, installation, or design from any cause; or faulty planning, zoning, development, surveying or siting; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy ensues, in which event, this Policy will cover only such resulting damage.
- 11. Loss attributable to manufacturing or processing operations which result in damage to stock or materials while such stock or materials are being processed, manufactured, tested or otherwise being worked upon; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy shall cover only such resulting damage.
- 12. Deterioration, depletion, rust, corrosion, erosion, wet or dry rot, decay, evaporation, leakage, wear and tear, animal, insect or vermin damage, inherent vice or latent defect, shrinkage or change in color, flavor, texture or finish, extremes or changes of temperature damage or changes in relative humidity damage, all whether atmospheric or not; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy shall cover only such resulting damage.
- 13. Settling, cracking, shrinking, bulging, or expansion of pavements, foundations, walls, floors, or ceilings; all unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy will cover only such resulting damage.
- 14. Lack of incoming electricity, fuel, water, gas, steam, refrigerant, or outgoing sewerage, or incoming or outgoing data or telecommunications, all of which are caused by an **Occurrence** away from the **Location**(s) insured under this Policy, unless specifically provided herein and only to the extent provided herein.
- 15. Costs, expenses, fines or penalties incurred or sustained by or imposed on the Insured at the order of any government agency, court or other authority arising from any cause whatsoever.
- 16. Electronic Data Exclusion
 - a. This policy does not insure loss, damage, destruction, distortion, erasure, corruption, alteration, loss of use, reduction in functionality, cost, or expense resulting from "Computer Virus".
 - "Computer Virus" means a set of corrupting, harmful or otherwise unauthorized instructions or code including a set of maliciously introduced unauthorized instructions or code, programmatic or otherwise, that propagate themselves through a computer system or network of whatsoever nature. "Computer Virus" includes, but is not limited to, "Trojan Horses," "worms" and "time or logic bombs".
 - b. However, in the event that a **Defined Cause of Loss** results from any of the matters described in paragraph a above, this Policy, subject to all its terms, conditions and

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exclusions, will cover physical damage occurring during the policy period to property insured by this Policy directly caused by such **Defined Cause of Loss**.

 Electronic Date Recognition Exclusion (EDRE) NMA 2802 12/17/1997 (USA Date) - amended

This policy does not cover any loss, damage, cost, clalm or expense, whether preventative, remedial or otherwise, directly or indirectly arising out of or relating to:

- a. the calculations, comparison, differentiation, sequencing or processing of data involving the date change to the year 2000, or any other date change, including leap year calculations, by any computer system, hardware, program or software and/or any microchip, integrated circuit or similar device in computer equipment or non-computer equipment, whether the property of the insured or not; or
- b. any change, alteration or modification involving the date change to the year 2000, or any other date change, including leap year calculations, to any such computer system, hardware, program or software and/or any microchip, integrated circuit or similar device in computer equipment or non-computer equipment, whether the property of the Insured or not.

This clause applies regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to the loss, damage, cost, claim or expense.

18. Loss or damage in the form of, caused by, arising out of, contributed to, or resulting from Fungus, Mold(s), Mildew, Spores or Yeast; or any spores or toxins created or produced by or emanating from such Fungus, Mold(s), Mildew, Spores or Yeast.

However, this exclusion shall not apply provided the Insured establishes that the fungus, mold(s), mildew, spores or yeast is a direct result of a covered loss from a **Defined Cause of Loss** or **Flood** (provided **Flood** is a covered peril) and provided this loss is reported to the Companies within twelve (12) months from the expiration date of the policy. The Companies' liability shall then be limited to the sublimit stated under Section I.E.16.

- 19. Loss or damage caused by hydrostatic, pneumatic or gas pressure test of any boiler or pressure vessel, or an electrical insulation breakdown test of any type of electrical equipment, unless physical damage not excluded by this Policy results, in which event, this Policy will cover only such resulting damage.
- 20. Loss or damage arising out of:
 - a. Building or any part of a building that is in danger of falling down or caving in,
 - b. Any part of a building that has separated from another part of the building, or
 - A building or any part of a building that is standing which shows evidence of cracking, bulging, sagging, bending, leaning, settling, shrinkage or expansion.

However, the Companies do cover loss or damage arising out of Collapse.

- 21. Loss or damage caused by **Equipment Breakdown** to vehicles (or any equipment on vehicles), draglines, cranes, excavation or construction equipment.
- 22. Terrorism Exclusion NMA 2920; 10/8/01 (USA Date) - amended

This policy excludes loss, damage, cost or expense of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any act of terrorism regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the loss.

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For the purpose of this exclusion, an "act of terrorism" means an act, including but not limited to the use of force or violence and/or the threat thereof, of any person or group(s) of persons, whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organization(s) or government(s), committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public, or any section of the public, in fear.

This clause also excludes loss, damage, cost or expense of whatsoever nature directly or Indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any action taken in controlling, preventing, suppressing or in any way relating to any act of terrorism.

If the Companies allege that by reason of this exclusion, any loss, damage, cost or expense is not covered by this insurance, the burden of proving the contrary shall be upon the Insured.

In the event any portion of this exclusion is found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder shall remain in full force and effect.

- 23, Exclusion Of Loss Due To Virus Or Bacteria (AR 01 40 07 amended)
 - a. The exclusion set forth in subparagraph b. below, applies to all coverage under all forms and endorsements that comprise this Policy, including but not limited to forms or endorsements that cover property damage to buildings or personal property and forms or endorsements that cover business income extra expense or action of civil authority.
 - The Companies will not pay for loss or damage caused by or resulting from any virus, bacterium or other microorganism that induces or is capable of inducing physical distress, illness or disease.

However, this exclusion does not apply to loss or damage caused by or resulting from fungus, mold(s), mildew, spores or yeast. Such loss or damage is addressed in a separate exclusion in this Policy.

- With respect to any loss or damage subject to the exclusion in subparagraph b. above, such exclusion supersedes any exclusion relating to pollutants or contaminants.
- d. The terms of the exclusion in subparagraph b. above, or the inapplicability of this exclusion to a particular loss, do not serve to create coverage for any loss that would otherwise be excluded by this Policy.
- 24. Water under the ground surface pressing on, or flowing or seeping through:
 - a. Foundations, walls, floors or paved surfaces;
 - b. Basements, whether paved or not;
 - c. Doors, windows or other openings.
- 25. Rain, snow, ice or sleet to personal property in the open.
- 26. Loss or damage by rain, snow, or dust, whether driven by wind or not, to the interior of any building or structure, or the property inside the building or structure, unless the building or structure first sustains wind or hall damage to its roof or walls through which the rain, snow, sand or dust enters.
- 27. Selzure or destruction of property by order of governmental authority. However, coverage is provided for loss or damage caused by or resulting from acts of destruction ordered by governmental authority and taken at the time of a fire to prevent its spread, if the fire is a Covered Cause of Loss.

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- 28. Equipment Breakdown (see Definitions).
- 29. Hot Testing; which means:
 - a. Commissioning or performance testing;
 - b. Any testing involving the introduction of flammable or explosive feedstock beginning when such feedstock is first introduced; or
 - c. The rotational operation of any turbine or generator, except for rotational operation by turning gear only when the turbine or generator is not energized.

Hot Testing does not mean the commissioning or performance testing of:

- a. Heating;
- b. Cooling;
- c. Air handling; or
- d. Electrical,

systems that are part of construction works.

- 30. Loss, damage, cost, or expense covered under any express or implied guarantee or warranty from a manufacturer or supplier, whether or not such manufacturer or supplier is an Insured under this policy.
- 31. Named Storm Restriction: This policy shall exclude all damage directly or indirectly caused by a Named Storm that is in existence at the time that written request to bind is given to AmRisc, until coverage for such Named Storm has been bound by written agreement between AmRisc and the First Named Insured. In addition, no increase in limits or additional coverages will be provided for any insured Location(s) threatened by such Named Storm, until coverage for such Named Storm has been bound by written agreement between AmRisc and the First Named Insured.

SECTION III - COVERED PROPERTY

- A. COVERED PROPERTY: Unless otherwise excluded, this Policy covers the following property while on the described Locations and within 1,000 feet thereof:
 - 1. Real property, including new buildings and additions under construction or renovation at an insured Location, Personal property and Equipment in which the Insured has an insurable interest;
 - 2. Improvements and betterments to buildings or structures in which the Insured has an insurable interest. Such Improvements and Betterments shall be considered Real property.
 - 3. At the option of the Insured, Personal property, other than motor vehicles, of officers and employees of the Insured:
 - 4. Personal property of others, other than motor vehicles, in the care, custody and control of the Insured, which the insured is under obligation to keep insured for physical loss or damage of the type insured against by this Policy;

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- 5. Contractor's and vendor's interests in property covered to the extent of the Insured's liability imposed by law or assumed by written contract prior to the date of direct physical loss or damage. However, such interests will not extend to any Time Element coverage provided by this Policy.
- 6. Real and Personal Property and related Time Element Loss at Miscellaneous Unnamed Location(s) owned by the Insured or for which the Insured is legally responsible for, and within the Coverage Territory of the policy. This shall also include Personal Property of the Insured while temporarily at Miscellaneous Unnamed Location(s), including Property on Exhibitions and Salesman's Samples.
- B. PROPERTY EXCLUDED: This Policy does not insure against loss or damage to:
 - Currency, money, notes, securities, stamps, furs, jewelry, precious metals, precious stones, and semi-precious stones. This exclusion does not apply to precious metals and precious stones used by the Insured for industrial purposes;
 - Air, Land, land values, and any substance in or on Land, or any alteration to the natural condition
 of the Land. However, this exclusion does not apply to the cost of reclaiming, restoring or repairing
 land improvements, provided the loss is from a Defined Cause of Loss;
 - 3. Water, except water which is normally contained within any type of tank, piping system or other process equipment;
 - Standing timber, growing crops, plants, lawns, trees, shrubs or animals. However, this exclusion
 does not apply to plants, lawns, trees or shrubs, provided the loss is from a Defined Cause of
 Loss;
 - 5. Pavements, paved surfaces, walkways, drainage systems or roadways;
 - 6. Vehicles licensed for highway use, watercraft, aircraft and railroad rolling stock;
 - 7. Property sold by the Insured under conditional sale, trust agreement, installment plan or other deferred payment plan after delivery to customers;
 - 8. Property in transit, except expressly as provided elsewhere in this Policy;
 - Underground mines or mining shafts and any related mining property and equipment while underground; or underground pipes, flues or drains; or any property below the lowest basement floor;
 - 10. Offshore oil rigs, platforms and property contained therein or thereon;
 - 11. Satellites and spacecraft;
 - 12. Dams, dikes, levees, bridges, tunnels, reservoirs, flood retaining walls and canals; except when scheduled as such on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc;
 - Docks, piers and wharves; except when scheduled as such on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc;
 - 14. Transmission and distribution lines, including support structures, of every type and description; except when located on the insured premises or within one-thousand (1000) feet thereof;
 - 15. Personal property in the care, custody, and control of the Insured when the Insured Is acting as a ballee, a warehouseman, or a carrier for hire;
 - 16. Contraband, or property in the course of illegal transportation or trade.
 - 17. Property of Unit Owners within Individual Condominium units, consisting of:
 - a. Personal property and Improvements & Betterments; and

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b. Floor coverings, wall coverings and ceiling coverings which only serve that unit.

However, this exclusion shall not apply to:

- Appliances; refrigerators; air conditioning equipment (including air conditioning compressors); heating equipment; cooking ranges; dishwashers; clothes washers/dryers; and fixtures, installations or permanent additions initially installed in accordance with the original plans and specifications; all contained within the units; or
- d. Any property within the individual unit (including the property excluded in a. and b., above) that the Condominium Association Agreement requires be covered by the Condominium Association.

SECTION IV - VALUATION

Except as otherwise provided in this Paragraph, adjustment of loss or damage under this Policy shall be valued at the cost to repair or replace (whichever is less) at the time and place of the loss with materials of like kind and quality, without deduction for depreciation and obsolescence. The Insured may elect to rebuild on another site, provided that, such rebuilding does not increase the amount of loss or damage that would otherwise be payable to rebuild at the same site. However, if the property is not repaired, rebuilt or replaced as soon as reasonably possible after the loss or damage, the value of the property will be determined on an **Actual Cash Value** basis. In the event the Insured elects to have the loss or damage settled on an **Actual Cash Value** basis, the Insured may still make a claim on a replacement cost basis, provided the Insured notifies the Companies within 180 days after the loss or damage.

Unless otherwise endorsed hereon, the property, as described below, will be valued as follows:

- A. Stock in process: the cost of raw materials and labor expended, plus the proper proportion of overhead charges.
- B. Finished goods manufactured by the Insured: the regular cash selling price at the location where the loss occurs, less all discounts and charges to which the merchandise would have been subject had no loss occurred
- C. Raw materials, supplies and other merchandise not manufactured by the Insured: the replacement cost.
- D. Valuable Papers and Records: the cost to replace or restore the property with like kind and quality including the cost to research, gather and assemble information. If not replaced, the Companies will only pay the blank value of the valuable papers or records.
- E. Electronic Data and Media: the cost of the blank media, plus the costs of copying the Electronic Data and Media from back-up or from originals of a previous generation. These costs will not include research and engineering nor any costs of recreating, gathering or assembling such Electronic Data and Media. If the Electronic Data and Media is not repaired, replaced or restored, the basis of valuation shall be the cost of the blank media. However, this Policy does not insure any amount pertaining to the value of such Electronic Data and Media to the Insured or any other party, even if such Electronic Data and Media cannot be recreated, gathered or assembled.
- F. Jigs and fixtures, dies, small tools, patterns, employees' personal property and personal property of third parties: the replacement cost if replacement cost values have been reported to the Companies and if actually replaced; otherwise the **Actual Cash Value**, but not to exceed the cost to repair or replace the property with material of like kind and quality.
- G. Leasehold improvements and betterments:
 - If repaired or replaced at the expense of the Insured Within two (2) years after the date of the loss, the cost to repair or replace the damaged improvements and betterments.

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2. If not repaired or replaced within two (2) years after the date of the loss, a proportion of the Insured's original cost.

The Companies will determine the proportionate value as follows:

- Multiply the original cost by the number of days from the loss or damage to the expiration of the lease; and
- b. Divide the amount determined in Subparagraph a. above by the number of days from the installation of improvements to the expiration of the lease.

If the Insured's lease contains a renewal option, the expiration of the renewal option period will replace the expiration of the lease in this procedure; or

3. Nothing, if others pay for repairs or replacement.

H. Fine Arts:

- 1. If there is no Agreed Value Schedule on file with AmRisc, then the lesser of:
 - a. The cost to repair or replace the fine art, or
 - b. The appraised value, which will be determined as of the time of the loss.
- If there is an Agreed Value Schedule on file with AmRisc, then the Agreed Value Schedule on file with AmRisc.
- 3. If a Fine Arts article is part of a pair or set, and a physically damaged article cannot be replaced, or cannot be repaired or restored to the condition that existed immediately prior to the loss, the Companies will be liable for the lesser of the full value of such pair or set or the Agreed Value, as per the schedule on File with AmRisc. The Insured will surrender the pair or set to the Companies.
- Accounts Receivable: the amount owed the Insured which the Insured is unable to collect from customers, and shall include:
 - 1. Any collection expenses over and above the normal collection costs;
 - 2. Interest charges on any loan to offset impaired collections pending repayment of such sums that cannot be collected; and
 - Other reasonable and necessary expenses incurred by the Insured to recreate Accounts Receivable Records.

Unearned interest and service charges on deferred payment accounts and normal credit losses on bad debts shall be deducted in determining the recovery hereunder.

After payment of loss by the Companies, all amounts recovered by the Insured on Accounts Receivable for which the Insured has been paid will belong to and will be paid to the Companies by the Insured up to the total amount of loss paid by these Companies. All recoveries in excess of such amounts will belong to the Insured.

In the event it is possible to reconstruct the Insured's Accounts Receivable Records after they have been physically lost or damaged, so that no shortage in collection of Accounts Receivable is sustained, the Companies shall only be liable for the costs of the material and the time required to reconstruct such records, with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch, but only to the extent that such amounts are not covered by any other insurance.

J. Property for Sale: If, at the time of the loss, any real property is being offered for sale, the loss or damage to such property will be valued at the lesser of:

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- 1. The cost to repair or replace the damaged property, or
- 2. The price at which the property is offered for sale less the market value of the Land.
- K. Property in Transit: In case of loss, the basis of adjustment shall be:
 - 1. Property shipped to or for the account of the Insured: the actual Invoice to the Insured, together with such costs and charges as may have accrued and become legally due on such property;
 - Property which has been sold by the Insured and has been shipped to or for account of the purchaser (if covered hereunder): the amount of the Insured's selling invoice, including prepaid or advanced freight;
 - Property of others not under invoice: the actual market value at the point of destination on the date of the Occurrence, less any charges saved which would have become due and payable upon delivery at destination; or
 - 4. Property of the Insured not under invoice: valued in accordance with the valuation provisions of this Policy applying at the location from which such property is being transported, less any charges saved which would have become due and payable upon delivery at such destination.
- L. Contractor's equipment and vehicles (if covered): Actual Cash Value, unless an agreed value applies,
- M. Catalyst: Actual Cash Value.
- N. For all other property: At replacement cost if actually replaced; otherwise, the **Actual Cash Value**, but not to exceed the cost to repair or replace the property with material of like kind and quality.

With respect to Subparagraphs A. through N., inclusive, unless otherwise specifically stated, the Companies will compute the valuations at the time and place of the loss.

SECTION V - TIME ELEMENT COVERAGE GROSS EARNINGS

This Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained by the Insured during the Period of Interruption directly resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss to Covered Property.

- A. ACTUAL LOSS SUSTAINED: In the event the Insured is prevented from producing goods or from continuing its business operations or services and is unable:
 - 1. To make up lost production within a reasonable period of time (not to be limited to the period during which production is interrupted), or
 - 2. To continue business operations or services,

all through the use of any property or service owned or controlled by the Insured, or obtainable from other sources, whether the property or service is at an insured Location or through working extra time or overtime at any other substitute location(s), including any other location(s) acquired for the purpose, then the Companies shall be liable, subject to all other conditions of this Policy not inconsistent herewith, for the actual loss sustained of the following during the Period of Interruption:

- GROSS EARNINGS less all charges and expenses which do not necessarily continue during the interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services. For the purpose of this coverage, GROSS EARNINGS means:
 - For manufacturing operations: The net sales value of production less the cost of all raw stock, materials and supplies utilized in such production; or

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- b. For mercantile or non-manufacturing operations: The total net sales less cost of merchandise sold, materials and supplies consumed in the operations or services rendered by the Insured;
- c. Plus all other earnings derived from the operation of the business.

In determining net sales, in the event of loss hereunder, for mercantile or non-manufacturing operations, any amount recovered under Property Damage policies for loss or damage to or destruction of merchandise shall be included as though the merchandise had been sold to the Insured's regular customers.

In determining the amount of loss payable under this coverage, due consideration shall be given to the experience of the business before the Period of Interruption and the probable experience thereafter had no loss occurred, and to the continuation of only those normal charges and expenses that would have existed had no interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services occurred.

There is no coverage for any portion of the Insured's Ordinary Payroll expense, unless a specified number of days for Ordinary Payroll are shown in Section I.E.25 and values have been included in the reported Time Element Values. In such case, the Companies will pay Ordinary Payroll for that number of days only. The number of days need not be consecutive, but must fall within the interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services, or fall within the extension of that period, if an extension is provided. Ordinary Payroll means the entire payroll expense for all employees of the Insured except officers, executives, department managers, employees under contract, and other essential employees.

- 2. EXPENSE TO REDUCE LOSS: Expenses, over and above normal operating expenses, necessarily incurred by the Insured in making up lost production or in reducing loss otherwise payable under this coverage are covered hereunder, but in no event shall these Companies be liable for an amount greater than that for which it would have been liable had the Insured been unable to make up any lost production or to continue any business operations or services.
- B. PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION: In determining the amount payable under this coverage, the Period of Interruption shall be:
 - 1. The period from the time of physical loss or damage insured against by this Policy to the time when, with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch, either:
 - a. normal operations resume; or
 - physically damaged buildings and equipment could be repaired or replaced and made ready for operations under the same or equivalent physical and operating conditions that existed prior to such loss or damage,

whichever is less. Such period of time shall not be cut short by the expiration or earlier termination date of the Policy.

- 2. In addition, if applicable, such time as may be required with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch:
 - a. To restore stock in process to the same state of manufacture in which it stood at the time of the initial interruption of production or suspension of business operations or services; or
 - To replace physically damaged or destroyed mercantile stock necessary to resume operations;
 - c. To replace raw materials and supplies in order to continue operations.

However, the inability to procure destroyed mercantile stock or suitable raw materials and supplies to replace similar stock or materials and supplies physically damaged or destroyed shall not increase the Period of Interruption.

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3. For Property under construction: The time period between the anticipated date of substantial completion had no covered loss occurred and the actual date of completion. In calculating the amount of loss, due consideration will be given to the actual experience of the business compiled after substantial completion and start-up.

The Period of Interruption does not include any additional time:

- a. Required for re-staffing or re-training employees; or
- b. Due to the Insured's inability to resume operations for reasons other than those enumerated in B.2.a. through B.2.c., Inclusive, above; or
- c. Required for making change(s) to the buildings, structures, or equipment for any reason except as provided in the Ordinance or Law coverage, if such coverage is provided by this Policy.

C. ADDITIONAL TIME ELEMENT COVERAGES

- EXTRA EXPENSE/EXPEDITING EXPENSE: This Policy is extended to cover the loss sustained by the Insured for Extra Expense during the Period of Interruption resulting from direct physical loss or damage from a Covered Cause of Loss to Covered Property utilized by the Insured. Extra Expense means:
 - a. The reasonable and necessary extra expense incurred to temporarily continue as nearly normal as practicable the conduct of the Insured's business; and
 - The reasonable and necessary extra costs of temporarily using property or facilities of the Insured or others.
 - c. The reasonable extra costs (expediting expenses) for temporary repair of damaged property and for expediting the permanent repair or replacement of such damaged property. This includes overtime wages and extra costs of express or other rapid means of transportation. This does not include expenses recoverable elsewhere under this policy.

The Insured agrees to use any suitable property or service owned or controlled by the Insured or obtainable from other sources in reducing the Business Income and Extra Expense incurred under this Policy.

2. RENTAL VALUE: As respects Covered Property held for rental to others, this Policy is extended to cover the loss sustained during the Period of Interruption but not exceeding the reduction in Rental Value less charges and expenses which do not necessarily continue.

Rental Value means the sum of:

- a. The total anticipated gross rental income from tenant occupancy of the described property as furnished and equipped by the insured including taxes, rent based on percentage of sales, and other charges paid by tenants in respect of the leased premises; and
- b. The amount of all charges which, by the terms of a written lease, are the legal obligation of the tenant(s) and which would otherwise be obligations of the Insured; and
- c. The fair rental value of any portion of such property which is occupied by the Insured,

Due consideration will be given to the historic rental expenses prior to the loss and the probable expenses thereafter.

3. ROYALTIES: This Policy is extended to cover loss of income sustained by the Insured under a royalty, Ilcensing fee, or commission agreement between the Insured and another party during the Period of Interruption arising out of direct physical loss or damage by a Covered Cause of Loss during the term of this Policy to real or personal property of such other party, only if such Royalties are shown as such on the Statement of Values. When determining the amount payable,

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the Companies will consider the amount of income derived by the Insured from such agreements before, and the probable amount of income after, the date of loss or damage.

4. SOFT COSTS (BUILDER'S RISK): For Property under Construction, this Policy is extended to cover Soft Costs incurred by the Insured during the Period of Interruption (described in Paragraph B. above). Such Soft Costs must be the result of direct damage from a Covered Cause of Loss.

The Companies will pay reasonable and necessary Soft Costs over and above those costs which would have been incurred by the Insured during the Period of Interruption had no loss occurred. Soft Costs means:

- The amount of actual interim or construction financing interest, including loan fees and other one time charges incurred to negotiate a new construction loan and/or extend the existing one;
- b. Realty taxes and ground rent if any;
- c. Advertising and promotional expenses;
- d. Cost of additional commissions;
- e. Architects, surveyors, legal, consulting engineers, accounting, licenses, permits, or other fees not otherwise covered by this Policy;
- f. Project administration expense, but not including development fees;
- g. Insurance premiums;
- h. Founder's fee refunds; and
- i. Net Business Income or Net Rental Income.
- CONTINGENT TIME ELEMENT: If direct physical loss or damage to the real or personal property
 of a direct supplier or direct customer of the Insured is damaged by a Covered Cause of Loss under
 this Policy, and such damage:
 - a. wholly or partially prevents any direct supplier to the Insured from supplying their goods and/or services to the Insured; or
 - wholly or partially prevents any direct customer of the Insured from accepting the Insured's goods and/or services;

then this Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained by the Insured during the Period of Interruption with respect to such real or personal property. The property of the supplier or customer which sustains loss or damage must be of the type of property which would be Covered Property under this Policy.

This coverage applies to the Insured's direct suppliers or direct customers located in the Coverage Territory.

- 6. INTERRUPTION BY CIVIL OR MILITARY AUTHORITY: This Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained during the period of time when access to the insured's covered Location is prohibited by an order of civil or military authority, provided that, such order is a direct result of a Covered Cause of Loss to real property not insured hereunder. The insured physical loss or damage must occur within five (5) statute miles from the Insured's covered Location in order for coverage to apply. Such period of time begins with the effective date of the order of civil or military authority and ends when the order expires, but no later than the number of days shown in Section I.E.7.
- 7. INGRESS & EGRESS: This Policy is extended to cover the actual loss sustained during the period of time when ingress to or egress from the Insured's covered Location is prohibited as a direct result

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of a Covered Cause of Loss to real property not insured hereunder. The insured physical loss or damage must occur within five (5) statute miles from the Insured's covered **Location** in order for coverage to apply. Such period of time begins on the date that ingress to or egress from real or personal property is prohibited and ends when ingress or egress is no longer prohibited, but no later than the number of days shown in Section I.E.17.

- 8. EXTENDED PERIOD OF INDEMNITY: Coverage is provided for such additional length of time as is required to restore the insured's business to the condition that would have existed had no loss occurred, commencing with the later of the following dates:
 - a. the date on which the liability of the Companies for loss or damage would otherwise terminate;
 - b. the earliest date on which either normal operations resume, or repair, replacement, or rebuilding of the property that has been damaged is actually completed; but in no event for a period of time exceeding the number of days specified in Section I.E.12. starting with later of a. or b. above. This Extended Period of Indemnity does not apply to any Additional Time Element Coverages, except RENTAL VALUE (Par. 2 above).

This additional coverage does not include coverage for any increase in loss due to fines or damages for breach of contract or for late or non-completion of orders, or penalties of any nature.

With respect to Additional Time Element Coverages 6. & 7., if a Covered Cause of Loss results in coverage under both Additional Time Element Coverages, the Companies will only pay for loss under one of the two Additional Time Element Coverages, whichever the First Named Insured selects.

- D. ADDITIONAL EXCLUSIONS: Section V Time Element Coverage does not cover:
 - 1. IDLE PERIODS Any loss during any period in which goods would not have been produced, or business operations or services would not have been maintained, for any reason other than physical loss or damage from a Covered Cause of Loss to which this coverage applies.

2. REMOTE LOSS -

- Any increase in loss due to the suspension, cancellation, or lapse of any lease, contract, license or order; or
- b. Any loss due to fines or damages for breach of contract or for late or non-completion of orders or penalties of whatever nature; or
- c. Any increase in loss due to interference at the insured's premises by strikers or other persons with rebuilding, repairing, or replacing the property damaged or destroyed, or with the resumption or continuation of business, or with the re-occupancy of the premises.

Nor shall the Companies be liable for any other consequential or remote loss, other than as specifically provided in this Section V.

- 3. FINISHED PRODUCTS Any loss resulting from loss or damage to finished products manufactured by the Insured nor for the time required for their reproduction.
- 4. TRANSIT Any loss resulting from loss or damage to property in transit,
- 5. BERTH AND/OR PORT BLOCKAGE Any loss due to Blockage of a port or berth. Blockage means a blockage of any part of the port or berth arising from an occurrence which results in the sinking or stranding of a ship, or the inability of a ship to gain access to a berth.
- E. TIME ELEMENT MONTHLY LIMITATION OF INDEMNITY: The Companies shall not be liable for more than the Monthly Limitation of Indemnity shown in Section I.E.33. This Monthly Limitation Of Indemnity shall apply to all Time Element coverages, except those that have a sublimit in Section I.E. Time

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Element Monthly Limitation means the most the Companies will pay monthly for a Time Element loss sustained by the Insured during the Period of Interruption directly resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss to Covered Property. This Monthly Limitation of Indemnity is payable for each period of 30 consecutive days after the beginning of the Period of Interruption and is calculated by multiplying the scheduled Time Element value by the fraction shown in Section I.E.33.

SECTION VI - ADDITIONAL COVERAGES

The following additional coverages are subject to the terms and conditions of this Policy, Including the deductibles and sublimits of liability corresponding to each such additional coverage shown in Section I. These sublimits are part of, and not in addition to sublimits and limits of liability of this Policy, Including, but not limited to, the Earth Movement, Flood, or Named Storm Sublimits of Liability provided herein, if applicable.

A. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE: This Policy covers any shortage in the collection of Accounts Receivable directly resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss to Accounts Receivable Records.

This extension of coverage does not apply to loss due to:

- 1. Bookkeeping, accounting or billing errors and omissions; and
- Alteration, falsification, manipulation, concealment, destruction, or disposal of Accounts Receivable
 Records committed to conceal the wrongful giving, taking, obtaining or withholding of money,
 securities or other property, but only to the extent of such wrongful giving, taking, obtaining or
 withholding.
- B. DEBRIS REMOVAL: This Policy covers the necessary and reasonable expense of removal from the insured Locations of debris of Covered Property or property of others remaining as a result of direct physical loss or damage insured against under this Policy that occurs during the policy period when the Insured gives written notice of such direct physical loss or damage to the Companies, but no later than 180 days after the loss. There is no liability for the expense of removing contaminated or polluted uninsured property, nor the Pollutants or Contaminants therein or thereon, whether or not the contamination results from an insured event.
- C. ELECTRONIC DATA AND MEDIA: This Policy is extended to cover direct physical loss or damage to **Electronic Data and Media.**
- D. ERRORS OR OMISSIONS: This Policy is extended to cover direct physical loss or damage at **Locations** within the Coverage Territory that are owned, leased or operated by the Insured, if such loss or damage is not payable under this Policy solely due to:
 - 1. Any error or unintentional omission in the description of the address of the property whether made at the inception of the policy period or subsequent thereto; or
 - 2. Failure through any error or unintentional omission to:
 - a. Include any Location of the Insured at the inception of the Policy; or
 - b. Report any newly acquired location before the period of automatic coverage provided under this Policy for Newly Acquired Location(s) expires.

With respect to Subparagraphs 1. and 2. above, this Errors or Omissions Additional Coverage does not allow the Insured or its representative to correct any value shown in the Statement of Values.

This Policy covers such direct physical loss or damage, to the extent it would have provided coverage had such error or unintentional omission not been made.

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It is a condition of this additional coverage that any error or unintentional omission be reported by the Insured to the Companies when discovered and an additional premium be paid, as determined by the Companies.

There is no coverage under this Paragraph for loss or damage which is covered under Newly Acquired Property or Miscellaneous Unnamed Locations provisions of this Policy.

- E. FINE ARTS: This Policy is extended to cover direct physical loss or damage to fine arts. However, no coverage is provided for:
 - Breakage, marring, scratching, chipping or denting of art, glass, windows, statuary, sculptures, marble, glassware, porcelain, bric-a-brac, antique furniture, antique jewelry or similar fragile articles, unless such breakage, marring, scratching, chipping or denting is caused by a **Defined** Cause of Loss; or
 - 2. Physical loss or damage as a result of restoring, repairing or retouching processes.
- F. FIRE BRIGADE CHARGES AND EXTINGUISHING EXPENSES: This Policy covers the following expenses resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss:
 - 1. Fire brigade charges and any extinguishing expenses which the Insured incurs:
 - 2. Loss and disposal of fire extinguishing materials expended.

There is no coverage for any costs incurred as a result of a false alarm.

- G. LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS & BETTERMENTS: This Policy is extended to cover the value of undamaged tenant's improvements and betterments when the Insured's lease is cancelled by the lessor; acting under a valid condition of the lease due to direct physical loss or damage to building or personal property caused by or resulting from a Covered Cause of Loss at an insured Location. No sublimit of liability applies to this additional coverage, but in no event will the Companies be liable for an amount in excess of the applicable sublimit of liability specified for the Leasehold Interest, if any.
- H. LEASEHOLD INTEREST: If Covered Property is: (1) rendered wholly or partially untenantable by a Covered Cause of Loss during the Policy period and (2) the Insured's lease is canceled by a party, other than the Named Insured, or an entity with any common ownership of the Named Insured, in accordance with the conditions of the lease or as a result of a statutory requirement of the appropriate jurisdiction in which the damaged or destroyed Covered Property is located, then this Policy is extended to cover "The Interest of the Insured as Lessee" (as defined below) or "The Interest of the Insured as Lessor" (as defined below), whichever is applicable, but only for the first three months succeeding the date of the loss and the "Net Lease Interest" (as defined below) shall be paid for the remaining months of the unexpired lease.

Recovery under this additional coverage shall be the pro-rata proportion from the date of loss to expiration date of the lease (to be paid without discount) on the Insured's Interest in:

- 1. The amount of bonus paid by the Insured for the acquisition of the lease not recoverable under the terms of the lease;
- Improvements and betterments to real property which are not covered under any other section of this Policy; and
- The amount of advance rental paid by the Insured and not recoverable under the terms of the lease.

Definitions: The following terms, wherever used in this Paragraph H shall mean:

1. The Interest of the Insured as Lessee is defined as:

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- a. the excess of the rental value of similar premises over the actual rental payable by the lessee (including any maintenance or operating charges paid by the lessee) during the unexpired term of the lease; and
- b. the rental income earned by the Insured from sublease agreements, to the extent not covered under any other section of this Policy, over and above the rental expenses specified in the lease between the Insured and the lessor.
- The Interest of the Insured as Lessor is defined as the difference between the rents payable to the lessor under the terms of the lease in effect at the time of loss and the actual rent collectible by the lessor during the unexpired term of the lease provided the lease is canceled by the lessee, to the extent not covered under any other section of this Policy.
- 3. Net Lease Interest is defined as that sum, which placed at 6% interest compounded annually will be equivalent to The Interest of the Insured as Lessee or Lessor.

The Companies shall not be liable for any increase of loss which may be occasioned by the suspension, lapse or cancellation of any license or by the Named Insured exercising any option to cancel the lease. Furthermore, the Named Insured shall use due diligence, including all things reasonably practicable, to diminish loss under this additional coverage.

- I. LIMITED POLLUTION COVERAGE: This Policy is extended to cover the reasonable and necessary additional expense incurred to remove, dispose of, or clean-up the actual presence of Pollutants or Contaminants from Land or water at an insured Location when such Land or water is contaminated or polluted due to a Covered Cause of Loss that occurs during the policy period. There will be no coverage unless such expenses are reported to the Companies within 180 days of the date of direct physical loss or damage.
- J. LOCK REPLACEMENT: This policy covers the necessary expense to repair or replace the exterior or interior door locks of a covered **Building**:
 - 1. If the door keys are stolen in a covered theft loss; or
 - 2. When the covered property is damaged and the door keys are stolen by burglars.
- K. NEWLY ACQUIRED PROPERTY: This Policy covers real or personal property of the type insured under this Policy for the perils insured under this Policy that is rented, leased, or purchased by the Insured after the inception date of this Policy. Coverage under this additional coverage ceases at the earlier of the following dates:
 - 1. See Section I.E.23 from the date of acquisition or lease of such property; or
 - 2. When the newly acquired location is bound by the Companies; or
 - 3. AmRisc notifies the Insured that it will not bind the newly acquired location.

There is no coverage for any property that is partially or wholly insured under any other insurance.

There is no coverage under this Paragraph for loss or damage which is covered under the Error or Omissions or **Miscellaneous Unnamed Locations** provisions of this Policy.

- L. ORDINANCE OR LAW: In the event of direct physical loss or damage under this Policy that results in the enforcement of any law, ordinance, governmental directive or standard in effect at the time of loss or damage regulating the construction, repair or use and occupancy of the property, the Companies shall pay:
 - Coverage A: For the loss in value of the undamaged portion of the building as a consequence of enforcement of an ordinance or law that requires demolition of undamaged parts of the same building.

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- 2. Coverage B: For the cost to demolish and clear the site of undamaged parts of the same building, as a consequence of enforcement of an ordinance or law that requires demolition of such undamaged property.
- 3. Coverage C: For the increased cost of repair or replacement of the damaged and undamaged Building on the same or another site, limited to the cost that would have been incurred in order to comply with the minimum requirements of such law or ordinance regulating the repair or reconstruction of the damaged property on the same site. However, these Companies shall not be liable for any increased cost of construction loss unless the damaged property is actually rebuilt or replaced.
- 4. Coverage D: For the additional loss in Time Element (if covered), that the Insured sustains during the increased period of suspension of operations caused by or resulting from a consequence of enforcement of an ordinance or law.

The Companies shall not be liable for any cost of demolition or increased cost of reconstruction, repair, debris removal or loss of use (including Time Element) necessitated by the enforcement of any law or ordinance regulating any form of contamination or pollution.

- M. PAIRS OR SETS: If two or more components or parts are necessary for a whole or complete product, then this Policy covers the reduction in value of insured components or parts of products due to direct physical loss or damage insured against by this Policy to the other insured components or parts of such products.
- N. PROFESSIONAL FEES: This Policy is extended to cover reasonable and necessary "Claim Preparation Costs" (as defined below) incurred by the Insured at the request of the Companies for the purpose of determining the extent or amount of insured loss or damage as a result of a Covered Cause of Loss under this Policy, provided that, the Insured obtains the prior written approval of the Companies for the vendor to be engaged by the Insured.

Claim Preparation Costs means:

- 1. The cost of taking inventory and the cost of gathering and preparing other data to substantiate the extent or amount of loss or damage; and
- The cost of services provided by accountants, contractors and engineers solely for the purpose of determining the extent or amount of loss.

Claim Preparation Costs does not mean and does not include;

- 1. Legal fees, charges and expenses;
- 2. Fees and costs of a public claims adjuster, claim consultant, insurance broker or agent (except forensic accounting services), or any person acting for or on behalf of a public claims adjuster, claim consultant, or insurance broker or agent;
- Costs associated with negotiation or presentation of any claim or part of a claim that the Companies have advised the Insured is disputed or denied;
- 4. Costs associated with establishing that any claim or part of a claim is covered by the Policy; or
- Costs which represent overhead or operating expense of any Insured, including salaries of such Insured's employees.
- O. PROPERTY REMOVED FROM INSURED LOCATIONS: This Policy covers direct physical loss or damage to personal property of the Insured by a Covered Cause of Loss at any Location within the Coverage Territory when such personal property is removed from the Insured Locations for the purpose of being repaired or serviced, excluding:
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- 2. Personal property excluded under this Policy; or
- 3. Personal property removed from the insured **Locations** for normal storage or processing or preparation for sale or delivery.
- P. REWARD REIMBURSEMENT: This Policy covers monetary rewards for information that leads to a criminal conviction in connection with loss or damage to covered property by a Covered Cause of Loss.
- Q. SERVICE INTERRUPTION: This Policy is extended to cover the loss or damage to Covered Property and Time Element (provided Time Element values are reported) resulting from direct physical loss or damage from a Covered Cause of Loss to: (1) incoming electrical, gas, water and telecommunication equipment and outgoing sewer; or (2) electrical, telecommunication, fuel, water, steam, refrigeration, or other service transmission lines; all situated outside the insured Locations.

However, this extension of coverage DOES NOT apply to any loss caused by damage to any utility service listed in (1) or (2) above, if located more than five (5) statute miles from the Insured's covered Location.

There shall be no loss payable under this Additional Coverage unless the interruption exceeds the qualifying period shown in Section I.E.31. In such case, the loss shall be measured from date and time of the loss. With respect to any Time Element Coverage provided herein, the Period of Interruption ends when: (1) incoming electrical, gas, water, or telecommunication equipment or outgoing sewer or (2) electrical, telecommunication, fuel, water, steam, refrigeration, or other service transmission lines, is restored.

The Sublimit shown in Section I.E.31. applies to all loss or damage to Covered Property and/or Time Element Coverage, combined arising out of one Service Interruption. None of the additional Time Element Coverages set forth in Section V.C. apply to the Time Element Coverage provided herein, except Rental Value,

- R. SPOILAGE: This policy is extended to cover spoilage as a direct result of a Covered Cause of Loss and subject to the additional exclusions listed below. The Companies shall be liable for direct physical loss or damage to:
 - 1. Perishable goods due to spoilage;
 - Perishable goods due to contamination from the release of refrigerant, including but not limited to ammonla;
 - 3. Perishable goods due to spoilage caused by a Covered Cause of Loss to equipment that is owned by a utility, landlord, or other supplier of any of the following services: electrical power, communications, waste disposal, air conditioning, refrigeration, heating, gas, air, water or steam.

If the Insured is unable to replace the perishable goods before its anticipated sale, payment will be determined on the basis of the sales price of the perishable goods at the time of the loss, less discounts and expenses that otherwise would have been incurred. Otherwise, payment will be determined in accordance with the Valuation provision of this Policy.

Perishable Goods means personal property:

- 1. maintained under controlled conditions for its preservation, and
- 2. susceptible to loss or damage if the controlled conditions change.

Additional Exclusions: The Companies shall not be liable for loss or damage caused by or resulting from:

 The disconnection of any refrigerating, cooling or humidity control system from the source of power.

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- 2. The deactivation of electrical power caused by the manipulation of any switch or other device used to control the flow of electrical power or current.
- S. TRANSIT: This Policy is extended to cover personal property, not otherwise excluded by this Policy, while such property is in transit.

It is agreed that coverage under this extension shall include the following:

- Personal property shipped to customers on F.O.B., C & F, or similar terms. The Insured's contingent interest in such shipments is admitted.
- The interest of the Insured in, and legal liability for, personal property of others in the actual or constructive custody of the Insured.
- Personal property of others sold by the Insured which the Insured has agreed prior to loss to insure during course of delivery.

It is agreed that the following additional exclusions apply to coverage as provided under this additional coverage:

- 1. Property insured under import or export ocean cargo policies.
- 2. Waterborne shipments to and from the Coverage Territory.
- 3. Shipments made by air, unless via regularly scheduled airlines.
- 4. Property shipped by mail.
- Property of others, including the Insured's legal liability therefor, hauled on vehicles owned, leased, or operated by the Insured when acting as a common or contract carrier as defined by the Interstate Commerce Commission Regulations or other state regulatory agencies.
- 6. Any transporting vehicle or conveyance.

This additional coverage attaches from the time the property leaves the original point of shipment for the commencement of transit and covers thereafter continuously in the due course of transit within the Coverage Territory until delivered at destination.

Coverage on export shipments not insured under ocean cargo policies does not extend beyond the time when the property is loaded on board overseas vessels or aircraft. Coverage on import shipments not insured under ocean cargo policies does not attach until after discharge from overseas vessels or aircraft.

This additional coverage does not cover or apply to delay, loss of market, or any Time Element coverage.

Permission is granted to the Insured without prejudice to this insurance to accept the ordinary bills of lading used by carriers, including released and/or undervalued bills of lading and/or shipping or messenger receipts. The Insured may waive subrogation against railroads under sidetrack agreements, but the Insured shall not enter into any special agreement with carriers releasing them from their common law or statutory liability.

T. VALUABLE PAPERS AND RECORDS: This Policy is extended to cover Valuable Papers and Records.

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- A. ABANDONMENT: There can be no abandonment to the Companies of any property.
- B. ADJUSTMENT OF LOSSES and FIRST NAMED INSURED CLAUSE: Loss or damage shall be adjusted with and payable to the First Named Insured, subject to any Certificates of Insurance on file with AmRisc which require payment to a loss payee or mortgagee.

If this Policy insures more than one entity, the First Named Insured is authorized to act on behalf of all other Insureds with respect to their rights, obligations and duties under this Policy. Payment of loss or return premium under this Policy to the First Named Insured shall satisfy the Companies' obligations with respect to all Insureds.

C. ARBITRATION CLAUSE: All matters in difference between the Insured and the Companies (hereinafter referred to as "the parties") in relation to this insurance, including its formation and validity, and whether arising during or after the period of this insurance, shall be referred to an Arbitration Tribunal in the manner hereinafter set out.

Unless the parties agree upon a single Arbitrator within thirty days of one receiving a written request from the other for Arbitration, the Claimant (the party requesting Arbitration) shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Respondent. Within thirty days or receiving such notice, the Respondent shall appoint his Arbitrator and give written notice thereof to the Claimant, failing which the Claimant may nominate an Arbitrator on behalf of the Respondent.

Should the Arbitrators fail to agree, they shall appoint, by mutual agreement only, an Umpire to whom the matter in difference shall be referred.

Unless the parties otherwise agree, the Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance underwriting or claims.

The Arbitration Tribunal shall have power to fix all procedural rules for the holding of the Arbitration including discretionary power to make orders as to any matters which it may consider proper in the circumstances of the case with regard to pleadings, discovery, inspection of documents, examination of witnesses and any other matter whatsoever relating to the conduct of the Arbitration and may receive and act upon such evidence whether oral or written strictly admissible or not as it shall in its discretion think fit.

All costs of the Arbitration shall be in the discretion of the Arbitration Tribunal who may direct to and by whom and in what manner they shall be paid.

The seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance.

The Arbitration Tribunal may not award exemplary, punitive, multiple or other damages of a similar nature.

The award of the Arbitration Tribunal shall be in writing and binding upon the parties who covenant to carry out the same. If either of the parties should fail to carry out any award the other may apply for its enforcement to a court of competent jurisdiction in any territory in which the party in default is domiciled or has assets or carries on business.

- D. ASSIGNMENT: The Insured may not assign this Policy without the Companies' prior written consent.
- E. BRANDS AND LABELS: If branded or labeled merchandise covered by this Policy is physically damaged and the Companies elect to take all or any part of such merchandise at the value established by the terms of this Policy, the Insured may, at their own expense, stamp "SALVAGE" on the merchandise or its containers, or may remove or obliterate the brands or labels, if such stamp, removal or obliteration will not physically damage the merchandise, but the Insured must re-label the merchandise or containers in compliance with the requirements of law.

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F. CANCELLATION AND ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS:

- 1. This Policy can be canceled by the First Named Insured by providing the Companies with:
 - a. An advanced written request for cancellation stating when the cancellation shall be effective, and
 - b. The original Policy or a lost policyholder release signed by the First Named Insured or its legal representative.
- 2. This Policy may be canceled by the Companies by giving to the Insured at least ninety (90) days written notice of cancellation or in the case of non-payment of premium or material mis-statement, at least ten (10) days written notice of cancellation.
- 3. The cancellation will be effective even if the Companies have not made or offered a refund. If notice is mailed, proof of malling will be sufficient proof of notice.
- 4. If this Policy is canceled, the Companies will send the First Named Insured any premium refund due.
- 5. Earned Premium:
 - a. For Locations NOT "Exposed to Hurricanes", if the Insured cancels this Policy or removes a Location, the short rate return premium is 90% of applicable pro-rata premium subject to any Minimum Earned Premium stipulations in the Policy.
 - b. For Locations "Exposed to Hurricanes", if the Insured cancels this Policy, removes a Location or reduces the amount of insurance on a Location and coverage existed any time during the period of June 1st to November 1st, the amount of premium the Companies will return will be the Unearned Premium for the Location. The Unearned Premium is the Location premium times the Unearned Factor noted below:

Days Policy in Force	Unearned Factor	
1-180	20.0%	
181-210	15.0%	
211-240	10.0%	
241-270	7.5%	
271-300	5.0%	
301-330	2.5%	
331 or more	0%	

However, subject to receipt of closing documents within 30 days of closing, this Policy allows pro-rata return premium for locations sold (but not for loss of management contract), subject to a maximum of 25% of scheduled values.

c. For Locations "Exposed to Hurricanes", if added (or coverage increased at an existing location which is "Exposed to Hurricanes") during the term of the Policy and coverage exists at any time during the period of June 1st to November 1st, the premium will be calculated at 100% of the annual rate, less the Unearned Factor noted in b. above. Otherwise, it shall be pro-rata.

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However, subject to receipt of closing documents, this Policy allows pro-rata additional premium for **Locations** purchased during the policy term.

- d. Locations of like kind and quality shall be added at the account rate, subject to the Unearned Factor noted in b. above. Locations of differing kind or quality or locations in Dade, Broward or Palm Beach counties of Florida must be approved by AmRisc prior to attachment.
- e. If a **Location** is "Exposed to Hurricanes", the provisions of this clause replace any short rate provisions stipulated in this Policy, all subject to the Minimum Earned Premium provisions.
- f. "Exposed to Hurricanes" is defined to include any Location within 100 miles of the closest salt water of the Atlantic Ocean or the Gulf of Mexico.
- g. Coverage cannot be increased nor additional Locations added if they are "Exposed to Hurricanes" and a Named Storm is in existence, unless with the express written consent of AmRisc.
- h. Nothing herein will act to provide coverage outside the automatic acquisition clause elsewhere in the Policy.
- Non-payment of premium, material misstatement or non-compliance with underwriting requirements shall be considered a request by the Insured to cancel the Policy.
- j. Proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice of cancellation.
- G. CLAIMS REPORTING AND ADJUSTMENT:

All Claims shall be reported to: AmRisc Claims Department

E-Mail: clalms@amrisc.com

Ph: 252-247-8796 Fax: 252-726-2855

All Claims shall be adjusted by: CJW and Associates

1420 Edgewater Drive, Suite 101, Orlando, FL 32804

and/or its assigned adjusters and the costs of such adjustments shall be borne by each Company in proportion to its pro-rata participation in this policy.

In the event the Company(s) elects to use its own adjusters or independent adjusters or consultants other than as listed above, expenses so incurred shall be borne solely by the Company.

It is further understood and agreed that, notwithstanding any provision contained elsewhere in this policy to the contrary, the Insured will be deemed to be in full compliance with any claim notice requirements, if notice of an occurrence is made to the Company[s] as soon as practicable after knowledge by the Insured or their representatives, that such occurrence will, or is likely to result in a claim under the policy. Any unintentional failure to report any occurrence or claim shall not invalidate coverage with respect to any such occurrence or claim.

- H. CONTROL OF DAMAGED MERCHANDISE: The Insured, exercising reasonable discretion, shall be the sole judge as to whether the goods involved in any loss under this Policy are fit for normal intended use or consumption. No goods so deemed by the Insured to be unfit for consumption shall be sold or otherwise disposed of except by the Insured or with the Insured's consent, but the Insured shall allow the Companies any salvage obtained by the Insured on any sale or other disposition of such goods. The Insured shall have full right to the possession of and retain control of all goods involved in any loss under this Policy.
- CURRENCY: Any amount of money specified in the Policy, including Limits of Liability, Deductibles and Premiums shall be considered to be in the currency of the United States of America.

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- J. DIVISIBLE CONTRACT: Subject to Condition N. below, if the Locations described in this Policy include two or more buildings or the contents of two or more buildings, the breach of any condition of this Policy in respect to any one or more of the buildings insured or containing the Covered Property, shall not prejudice the right to recover for physical loss or damage occurring in any building insured or containing the Covered Property where, at the time of such loss or damage, a breach of condition does not exist.
- K. INSPECTION AND AUDIT: The Companies, at all reasonable times during this Policy period, shall be permitted but not obligated to inspect the property insured by this Policy. Neither the Companies' right to make inspections nor the making thereof nor any report thereon shall constitute any undertaking by the Companies, on behalf of or for the benefit of the Insured or others, to determine or warrant that such property is safe or healthful or that they comply with any law, rule or regulation.

The Companies may also examine and audit the Insured's books and records at any reasonable time during the Policy period and within one year after the Policy termination, as long as such examination and audit relate to the subject matter of this Policy.

- L. JOINT LOSS AGREEMENT: In the event the insurance company, if any, providing boiler and machinery insurance ('B&M insurer') disputes any portion of the claim made against that B&M insurer, but these Companies believe the B&M insurer should have paid that portion of the claim, then these Companies shall, upon written request of the insured, pay to the insured one-half of the amount of the loss which is in disagreement, but in no event more than these Companies would have paid if there had been no B&M policy in effect, subject to the following conditions:
 - 1. The amount of the loss which is in disagreement, after making provisions for any undisputed claims payable under the said policies and after the amount of the loss is agreed upon by the Insured and all of the insurers, is limited to the minimum amount remaining payable under the B&M policy;
 - The B&M insurer shall simultaneously pay to the insured one-half of said amount which is in disagreement;
 - 3. The payments by all of the insurers hereunder and acceptance of the same by the Insured signify the agreement of all the insurers to submit to and proceed with arbitration within 90 days of such payments; the arbitrators shall be three in number, one of whom shall be appointed by the Property insurance Companies and one of whom shall be appointed by the B&M insurer and the third shall be appointed with the consent of the Property insurance Companies and the B&M insurer, and the decision by the arbitrators shall be binding upon all the insurers and that judgment upon such award may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction;
 - 4. The Insured agrees to cooperate in connection with such arbitration but not to intervene therein;
 - The provisions of this clause shall not apply unless such other policy issued by the B&M insurer is similarly endorsed;
 - Acceptance by the Insured of sums paid pursuant to the provisions of this clause, including an arbitration award, shall not operate to alter, waive, surrender, or in any way affect the rights of the Insured against any of the insurers.
- M. LOSS PAYEES, LENDER'S LOSS PAYEES, AND MORTGAGEES (OR TRUSTEES):
 - 1. Loss, or damage, if any, under this Policy shall be payable to:
 - a. any Loss Payee or Lender's Loss Payee as its interest may appear; and
 - b. any Mortgagee (or Trustee) as its interest may appear under all present or future mortgages upon the insured property in which the aforesaid may have an interest as Mortgagee (or Trustee), in order of precedence of said mortgages.

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2. As to the interest of the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) only, this insurance shall not be invalidated by any act or neglect of the Insured nor by any foreclosure or other proceedings or notice of sale relating to said property nor by any change in the title or ownership of said property, nor by the occupation of the insured Locations for purposes more hazardous than are permitted by this Policy; provided, that in case the Insured shall neglect to pay any premium due under this Policy, the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) shall, on demand pay the same

The Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) must notify AmRisc, LLC of any change of ownership or occupancy or increase of hazard which shall come to the knowledge of the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) and, unless permitted by this Policy it shall be noted hereon and the Lender's Loss Payee or Mortgagee (or Trustee) shall, on demand, pay the premium for such increased hazard; otherwise, this entire Clause 2. shall be null and void.

- 3. If the Companies cancel this Policy, they will give:
 - a) ten (10) days before the effective date, if cancellation is for non-payment of premium; or
 - b) ninety (90) days before the effective date, if cancellation is for any other reason.
- 4. Nothing herein shall affect the rights of the Companies to suspend Insurance [which shall include any insurance applying to the interest of the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee)] on any machine, vessel or part thereof in accordance with the Suspension Clause of Equipment Breakdown (if such coverage is provided by endorsement to this policy). The Companies agree to furnish the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) with a copy of the suspension notice at the Loss Payee's, Lender's Loss Payee's, or Mortgagee's (or Trustee's) address.
- 5. Whenever the Companies shall pay the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) any sum for loss under this Policy and shall claim that, as to the Insured, no liability therefor existed, the Companies shall, to the extent of such payment, be subrogated to all the rights of the party to whom such payment shall be made, under all securities held as collateral to the debt, or may, at their option pay to the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) the whole principal due or to grow due on the debt with interest, and shall thereupon receive a full assignment and transfer of all rights and securities; but no subrogation shall impair the right of the Loss Payee, Lender's Loss Payee, or Mortgagee (or Trustee) to recover the full amount of the Loss Payee's, Lender's Loss Payee's or Mortgagee's (or Trustee's) claim.
- N. MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD: This entire Policy shall be void if, whether before or after a loss, the Insured has willfully concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this insurance or the subject thereof, or the interest of the Insured therein, or in case of any fraud, or false swearing by the Insured relating thereto.
- O. OTHER INSURANCE/EXCESS INSURANCE/UNDERLYING INSURANCE: In the event there is other insurance covering loss or damage insured under this Policy, then this Policy shall apply only as excess and in no event as contributory insurance (unless this Policy is specifically written to be contributory insurance), and then only after all other insurance has been exhausted, whether or not such insurance is collectible. Permission is granted for the Insured to purchase Excess Insurance over the limits provided by this Policy, and underlying insurance on all or any part of the deductibles of this Policy.
- P. PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF PROPERTY: In case of actual or imminent direct physical loss or damage by a Covered Cause of Loss, the expenses incurred by the Insured in taking reasonable and necessary actions for the temporary protection and preservation of Covered Property hereunder shall be added to the total physical loss or damage otherwise recoverable under this Policy and be subject to the applicable deductible, sublimit of liability and the Policy Limit.

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- Q. REINSTATEMENT OF LIMITS: Except for any Covered Cause of Loss which is subject to an annual aggregate limit or sublimit of liability, payment of a claim will not reduce the amount payable under this Policy for any subsequent covered loss.
- R. REQUIREMENTS IN CASE OF LOSS: The Insured shall:
 - 1. Give immediate written notice of any loss or damage to AmRisc;
 - 2. Promptly contact the applicable authority having jurisdiction in the event a law has been broken, and promptly file a written report with such authority;
 - 3. Protect the property from further loss or damage;
 - 4. Separate the damaged and undamaged personal property;
 - 5. Maintain such property in the best possible order;
 - 6. Furnish a complete inventory of the lost, destroyed, damaged and undamaged property, showing in detail quantities, costs, actual cash value and amount of loss claimed;
 - 7. Furnish all other documents or insurance policies that the Companies may reasonably require;
 - 8. Allow the Companies to access and inspect any of the damaged or undamaged property; and
 - 9. Submit to examination under oath at such times as may be reasonably required about any matter relating to this insurance or any claim;

Within ninety (90) days after the loss, unless such time is extended in writing by the Companies, the Insured shall provide the Companies with a proof of loss, signed and sworn to by the Insured, stating the knowledge and belief of the Insured as to the following:

- 1. The time and origin of the loss;
- 2. The interest of the Insured and of all others in the property;
- 3. The value of each item thereof determined in accordance with the Valuation Provisions of this Policy and the amount of loss thereto and all encumbrances thereon;
- 4. All other contracts of insurance, whether collectible or not, covering any of said property; and
- 5. Any changes in the title, use, occupation, location, possession or exposures of said property subsequent to the issuance of this Policy, by whom and for what purpose any building herein described and the several parts thereof were occupied at the time of loss whether or not it then stood on leased ground.
- S. REVIEW OF VALUES: The Insured shall provide AmRisc at Policy Inception and each subsequent anniversary date of this Policy, a Statement of Values which consists of the current 100% Property and Time Element values for all insured **Locations**.

Such values shall be reported separately for each **Location**, with separate figures shown for each type of coverage at each **Location**. The property values shall be shown on a Replacement Cost Basis for property which is covered on a Replacement Cost Basis and on an **Actual Cash Value** basis for other property. The value of stock and supplies to be included in the property values shall be in accordance with the Valuation clause contained in this Policy and shall be based on the approximate average of the stock and supplies on hand during the twelve months immediately preceding the annual review of values. Time Element values (if covered) shall be provided in accordance with the terms of the applicable Time Element provisions.

Upon inception and at each anniversary date of this Policy, the Annual Premium shall be due and payable to AmRisc. Receipt of said Statement of Values by AmRisc shall be considered as authorization by the Insured for premiums under this Policy to be calculated.

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The premium for this Policy is based upon the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc, or attached to this Policy.

- T. SALVAGE AND RECOVERIES: All salvages, recoveries and payments, excluding proceeds from subrogation and underlying insurance recovered or received prior to a loss settlement under this Policy, shall reduce the loss accordingly.
- U. SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS: The amount of loss for which the Companies may be liable shall be payable within thirty (30) days after proof of loss, as herein required, is received and accepted by the Companies and ascertainment of the amount of loss is made either by agreement between the First Named Insured and the Companies or an amount is determined by binding Arbitration in accordance with the provisions of this Policy.

The Companies shall have the option to take all, or any part of the property at the agreed or arbitrated value, or to repair, rebuild or replace the property physically lost or damaged with other of like kind and quality, within a reasonable time, on giving notice of its intention to do so within sixty (60) days after receipt of the proof of loss herein required.

V. SEVERAL LIABILITY NOTICE LMA5096 03/08 (Combined Certificate) - amended

The liability of an insurer under this Policy is several and not joint with other insurers party to this Policy. An insurer is liable only for the proportion of liability it has underwritten. An insurer is not jointly liable for the proportion of liability underwritten by any other insurer. Nor is an insurer otherwise responsible for any liability of any other insurer that may underwrite this Policy.

The proportion of liability under this Policy underwritten by an insurer (or, in the case of a Lloyd's syndicate, the total of the proportions underwritten by all the members of the syndicate taken together) is shown in this Policy.

In the case of a Lloyd's syndicate, each member of the syndicate (rather than the syndicate itself) is an insurer. Each member has underwritten a proportion of the total shown for the syndicate (that total itself being the total of the proportions underwritten by all the members of the syndicate taken together). The liability of each member of the syndicate is several and not joint with other members. A member is liable only for that member's proportion. A member is not jointly liable for any other member's proportion. Nor is any member otherwise responsible for any liability of any other insurer that may underwrite this Policy. The business address of each member is Lloyd's, One Lime Street, London EC3M 7HA United Kingdom. The identity of each member of a Lloyd's syndicate and their respective proportion may be obtained by writing to Market Services, Lloyd's, at the above address. Although reference is made at various points in this clause to "this Policy" in the singular, where the circumstances so require this should be read as a reference to Policies in the plural.

Wherever the word Insurers is mentioned in this clause, this is deemed to also mean reinsured in respect of reinsurance business.

W. SUBROGATION: The Companies may require from the Insured an assignment of all right of recovery against any party for loss to the extent that payment has been made by the Companies, but the Companies shall not acquire any rights of recovery which the Insured has expressly walved in writing prior to loss nor shall such waiver in writing affect the Insured's rights under this Policy.

The Companies do waive rights of recovery against any unit-owner of a Condominium Association.

However, notwithstanding the foregoing, the Companies shall be subrogated to all the Insured's rights of recover against:

- any Architect or Engineer, whether named as an Insured or not, for any loss or damage arising
 out of the performance of professional services in their capacity as such and caused by an
 error, omission, deficiency or act of the Architect or Engineer, by any person employed by them
 or by any others for whose acts they are legally liable, and
- 2. any manufacturer or supplier of machinery, equipment or other property, whether named as an Insured or not, for the cost of making good any loss or damage which said party has agreed to make good under a guarantee or warranty, whether expressed or implied.

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Any recovery as a result of subrogation proceedings arising out of an **Occurrence**, after expenses incurred in such subrogation proceedings are deducted, shall accrue to the Insured in the proportion that the deductible amount and/or any provable uninsured loss amount bears to the entire provable loss amount.

The Insured will cooperate with the Companies and, upon the Companies' request and expense will:

- 1. Attend hearings and trials; and
- 2. Assist in effecting settlements, securing and giving evidence, obtaining the attendance of witnesses, and conducting suits.
- X. SUIT AGAINST COMPANIES: No suit, action or proceeding for the recovery of any claim under this Policy shall be sustainable in any court of law or equity unless the Insured shall have fully complied with all the requirements of this Policy, nor unless the same be commenced within twelve (12) months next after the date of the loss, provided however, that if under the laws of the jurisdiction in which the property is located such time limitation is invalid, then any such claims shall be void unless such action, suit or proceedings is commenced within the shortest limit of time permitted by the laws of such jurisdiction.
- Y. TERRITORIAL LIMITATIONS: Payment of loss under this Policy shall only be made in full compliance with all United States of America economic or trade sanction laws or regulations, including, but not limited to, sanctions, laws and regulations administered and enforced by the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC").
- Z. TITLES OF PARAGRAPHS: The titles of the various paragraphs of this Policy (and of endorsements included in this Policy) are solely for reference and shall not in any way affect the provisions to which they relate.
- AA. VACANCY: The Insured has permission to cease business operations or to have any insured **Building** vacant or unoccupied, provided that the fire protection, security and alarm services are maintained. The insured **Building** is considered vacant or unoccupied when it does not contain adequate Covered Property to conduct customary business operations, but this provision shall not apply to any time period when customary business operations are suspended due to circumstances that are usual to such business operations. The Insured must notify AmRisc no later than 90 days after the cessation of business operations, vacancy or un-occupancy. If not so notified within 90 days, the Deductible shall be the greater of: double the applicable peril deductible; or \$100,000. This restriction shall not apply to any Building in the course of construction or renovation.

SECTION VIII - POLICY DEFINITIONS

A. Actual Cash Value: The following is added to any provision which uses the term Actual Cash Value:

Actual Cash Value is calculated as the amount it would cost to repair or replace Covered Property, at the time of loss or damage, with material of like kind and quality, subject to a deduction for deterioration, depreciation and obsolescence. Actual Cash Value applies to valuation of Covered Property regardless of whether that property has sustained partial or total loss or damage.

The Actual Cash Value of the lost or damaged property may be significantly less than its replacement cost.

- B. Aircraft or Vehicle Impact means only physical contact of an aircraft, spacecraft, self-propelled missile, or objects falling therefrom, or vehicle or an object thrown up by a vehicle.
- C. Average Daily Value (ADV): Average Daily Value shall be the total 100% Time Element Value that would have been projected for the Period of Interruption for the Location(s) where the physical loss or damage occurs, had no physical loss or damage occurred, divided by the number of working days in

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such period. The sum shall include all Time Element values to which the operations of the Locations(s) directly or indirectly contribute

- Building: Building is defined as a fully enclosed permanent structure with walls and a continuous roof.
- E. Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse means direct physical loss or damage to Covered Property caused by or resulting from catastrophic ground cover collapse, meaning geological activity that results in all of the following:
 - 1. The abrupt collapse of the ground cover;
 - 2. A depression in the ground cover clearly visible to the naked eye;
 - 3. Structural damage to the building, including the foundation; and
 - 4. The insured **Building** or structure being condemned and ordered to be vacated by the governmental agency authorized by law to issue such an order for that structure.

However, structural damage consisting merely of the settling or cracking of a foundation, structure or building does not constitute loss or damage resulting from a catastrophic ground cover collapse.

The Earth Movement exclusion does not apply to coverage for Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse.

Coverage for Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse does not increase the applicable Limit of Insurance. Regardless of whether loss or damage attributable to catastrophic ground cover collapse also qualifies as Sinkhole Loss or Earth Movement (If either or both of these causes of loss are covered), only one Limit of Insurance will apply to such loss or damage.

- F. Collapse means an abrupt falling down or caving in of a building or any part of a building with the result that the building or part of the building cannot be occupied for its current intended purpose. The Collapse must be caused by or resulting from one or more of the following:
 - 1. Building decay that is hidden from view, unless the presence of such decay is known to the Insured prior to collapse;
 - 2. Insect or vermin damage that is hidden from view, unless the presence of such damage is known to the Insured prior to collapse;
 - 3. Use of defective material or methods in construction, remodeling or renovation if the abrupt collapse occurs during the course of construction, remodeling or renovation.
 - 4. Use of defective material or methods in construction, remodeling or renovation if the abrupt collapse occurs after the construction, remodeling or renovation is complete, but only if the collapse is caused in part by:
 - a) A cause of loss listed in F.1. or F.2;
 - b) One or more of the Defined Causes of Loss;
 - c) Breakage of building glass;
 - d) Weight of people or personal property; or
 - e) Weight of rain that collects on a roof.
 - 5. Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse.
- G. Companies: The following words shall be synonymous with each other: "Underwriters", "Insurers" and "Companies".

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- H. Defined Cause of Loss means Fire, Lightning, Explosion, Windstorm or Hall, Smoke, Aircraft or Vehicle Impact, Riot, Strike or Civil Commotion, Vandalism and Malicious Mischief, or Leakage From Fire Protection Equipment.
- I. Earth Movement means any natural or manmade:
 - 1. Earthquake, including any earth sinking, rising or shifting related to such event;
 - 2. Landslide, including any earth sinking, rising or shifting related to such event;
 - 3. Mine subsidence, meaning subsidence of a man-made mine, whether or not mining activity has ceased:
 - 4. Earth sinking, rising or shifting, including soil conditions which cause settling, cracking or other disarrangement of foundations or other parts of realty. Soil conditions include contraction, expansion, freezing, thawing, erosion, improperly compacted soil and the action of water under the ground surface
 - Shocks, tremors, mudslide, mud flow, rock falls, volcanic eruption, Sinkhole Loss, subsidence or any other Earth Movement.
 - 6. Sprinkler Leakage caused by or resulting from Earth Movement.
- J. Earth Movement Countles: As referenced in this Policy, designated Earthquake Zones shall be defined as all Locations situated within the States or Countles as specified below:
 - 1. Pacific Northwest States:

Oregon and Washington.

2. New Madrid Earthquake Zone Counties:

Arkansas: Arkansas, Clay, Cleburne, Conway, Craighead, Crittenden, Cross, Desha, Faulkner, Fulton, Independence, Izard, Greene, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lee, Lincoln, Lonoke, Mississippi, Monroe, Phillips, Prairie, Poinsett, Pulaski, Randolph, Sharp, St. Francis, Stone, Van Buren, White, and Woodruff.

Illinois: Alexander, Bond, Calhoun, Christian, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, Edwards, Effingham, Fayette, Franklin, Galiatin, Greene, Hamilton, Hardin, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jersey, Johnson, Lawrence, Macoupin, Madison, Marion, Massac, Monroe, Montgomery, Moultrie, Perry, Pope, Pulaski, Randolph, Richland, Saline, Shelby, St. Clair, Union, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, and Williamson.

Indiana: Daviess, Dubois, Gibson, Knox, Perry, Plke, Posey, Spencer, Sullivan, Vanderburgh, and Warrick.

Kentucky: Ballard, Caldwell, Calloway, Carlisle, Christian, Crittenden, Davless, Fulton, Graves, Hancock, Henderson, Hickman, Hopkins, Livingston, Lyon, Marshall, McCracken, McLean, Muhlenberg, Ohio, Todd, Trigg, Union, and Webster.

Mississippi: Alcorn, Benton, Bolivar, Coahoma, De Soto, Lafayette, Marshall, Panola, Quitman, Sunflower, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tippah, Tunica, and Union.

Missouri: Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Crawford, Dent, Dunklin, Franklin, Howell, Iron, Jefferson, Lincoln, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Oregon, Pemiscot, Perry, Reynolds, Ripley, Scott, Shannon, St. Charles, St. Francois, St. Louis City, St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, Stoddard, Warren, Washington, and Wayne.

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Tennessee: Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, Dickson, Dyer, Fayette, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Hickman, Houston, Humphreys, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Montgomery, Obion, Perry, Shelby, Stewart, Tipton, and Weakley.

- K. Electronic Data and Media means data, messages, information, coding, programs, instructions or any other software stored on electronic, electromechanical, electromagnetic data processing or electronically controlled production equipment and distributed by means of a computer network or is produced in a format for use with a computer.
- L. Equipment Breakdown means:
 - Mechanical breakdown, including rupture or bursting caused by centrifugal force;
 - 2. Artificially generated electrical current, including electric arcing, that disturbs electrical devices, appliances or wires;
 - 3. Explosion of steam boilers, steam pipes, steam engines or steam turbines owned or leased by the Insured, or operated under the control of the Insured;
 - 4. Loss or damage to steam boilers, steam pipes, steam engines or steam turbines caused by or resulting from any condition or event inside such equipment; or
 - 5. Loss or damage to hot water boilers or other water heating equipment caused by or resulting from any condition or event inside such boilers or equipment.
- M. Explosion: Explosion does not include loss or damage occasioned by or incident to explosion in or of the following equipment owned, operated or controlled by the Insured:
 - Steam boiler, steam turbines, steam engines, and steam pipes interconnecting any of the foregoing;
 - 2. Moving or rotating machinery or parts thereof when such direct loss or damage is caused by centrifugal force or mechanical breakdown;
 - 3. Combustion gas turbines;
 - 4. Any products manufactured by the Insured or other property attached thereto or forming or to form a part thereof undergoing pressure tests to the extent of the loss to such property.

Explosion will include loss or damage arising or resulting from:

- 1. The explosion of accumulated combustible gases or unconsumed fuel within the furnace of a boiler or pressure vessel, other than combustion gas turbines, or within the flues or passages which conduct the gases of combustion therefrom;
- 2. A combustion explosion outside of any equipment excluded above even though such combustion explosion may have been the direct result of the explosion or such excluded equipment,

The following are not explosions within the intent or meaning of this definition:

- 1. Electric arcing or any coincident rupture of electrical equipment due to such arcing;
- 2. Bursting or rupture caused by freezing;
- 3. Sonic shock waves, generally known as Sonic Boom;
- 4. Bursting, rupture or collapse of any safety disc, rupture diaphragm or fusible link.
- N. Exterior Insulation and Finish Systems (EIFS): means a nonload bearing, exterior wall cladding system that consists of an insulation board attached either adhesively or mechanically, or both, to the

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substrate; an integrally reinforced base coat; and a textured protective finish coat. For a more detailed description, refer to website http://www.eima.com.

- O. Fine Arts means: paintings; etchings; pictures; tapestries; rare or art glass; art glass windows; valuable rugs; statuary; sculptures; antique furniture; antique jewelry; bric-a-brac; porcelains; and similar property of rarity, historical value, or artistic merit, excluding automobiles, coins, stamps, furs, jewelry, precious stones, precious metal, watercraft, aircraft, money and securities.
- P. Flood means, whether natural or manmade: Flood waters, surface water, waves, tide or tidal water, tsunami, overflow or rupture of a dam, levee, dike, floodgates, or other surface containment structure, storm surge, the rising, overflowing or breaking of boundaries of natural or manmade bodies of water, or the spray from any of the foregoing, all whether driven by wind or not.

Water which backups or discharges from sewers, drains or sumps on the Insured's Location is not considered Flood, unless such backup or discharge was due to Flood as defined above.

Q. Fungus, Mold(s), Mildew, Spores Or Yeast:

Fungus includes, but is not limited to, any of the plants or organisms belonging to the major group fungi, lacking chlorophyll, and including mold(s), rusts, mildews, smuts and mushrooms.

Mold includes, but is not limited to, any superficial growth produced on damp or decaying organic matter or on living organisms, and fungi that produce mold(s).

Spore means any dormant or reproductive body produced by or arising or emanating out of any fungus, mold(s), mildew, plants, organisms or microorganisms.

- R. Hurricane: A hurricane is a storm system that has been declared to be a Hurricane by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service.
- S. Land means land (except land for which values are reported and premiums are charged hereunder). such as dikes, levees, and other surface containment structures. Surface containment structures are not land to a depth of six inches below such surface containment structures.
- T. Leakage From Fire Protection Equipment means direct physical loss or damage from:
 - 1. Water or other substances discharged from within any part of the Fire Protection Equipment for the insured Location or for any adjoining Locations;
 - 2. Collapse or fall of tanks forming a part of the Fire Protection Equipment or the component parts or supports of such tanks.

The term Fire Protection Equipment includes tanks, water mains, hydrants or valves, and any other equipment whether used solely for fire protection or jointly for fire protection and for other purposes, but does not include:

- 1. Branch piping from a joint system where such branches are used entirely for purposes other than fire protection;
- 2. Any underground water mains or appurtenances located outside of the insured Location and forming a part of the public water distribution system;
- 3. Any pond or reservoir in which the water is impounded by a dam.
- U. Location means the location as specified in the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc, but if not so specified, location means any building, yard, dock, wharf, pier or bulkhead or any group of the foregoing bounded on all sides by public streets, clear Land space or open waterways, each not less than two hundred feet wide. Any bridge or tunnel crossing such street, space or waterway shall render such separation inoperative for the purpose of this definition.

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V. Miscellaneous Unnamed Location(s) means a location that has not been included in the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc and has not been reported to AmRisc as may be required in the Policy provisions elsewhere.

There is no coverage under this Paragraph for loss or damage which is covered under the Error or Omissions or Newly Acquired Property provisions of this Policy.

- W. Named Storm: The term "Named Storm" shall include, but not be limited to, storm, cyclone, typhoon, atmospheric disturbance, depression or other weather phenomena designated by the US National Hurricane Center and where a name (and not only a number) has been applied.
- X. Occurrence means any one loss, disaster, casualty, incident or series of losses, disasters, casualties or incidents, not otherwise excluded by this Policy and arising out of a single event or originating cause and includes all resultant or concomitant insured losses. The occurrence must occur during the policy period.

If more than one event for Windstorm & Hail, Named Storm, Riot Strike Or Civil Commotion, Vandalism & Malicious Mischief, Earth Movement or Flood covered by this Policy occurs within any period of seventy-two (72) hours during the term of this Policy, such covered events shall be deemed to be a single Occurrence. When filling proof of loss, the Insured may elect the moment at which the 72 hour period shall be deemed to have commenced, which shall not be earlier than the time when the first loss occurs to the Covered Property.

- Y. Pollutants or Contaminants means any solid, liquid, gaseous or thermal irritant or contaminant, including smog, smoke, vapor, soot, fumes, acids, alkalis, chemicals and waste, which after its release can cause or threaten damage to human health or human welfare or causes or threatens damage, deterioration, loss of value, marketability or loss of use to property insured hereunder, including, but not limited to, bacteria, virus, or hazardous substances as listed in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, Clean Air Act, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, and Toxic Substances Control Act or as designated by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency. Waste includes materials to be recycled, reconditioned or reclaimed.
- Z. Riot, Strike or Civil Commotion means rlot and civil commotion including:
 - 1. Acts of striking employees while occupying the insured Location; and
 - 2. Pilferage or looting occurring at the time and place of a riot or civil commotion.

AA. Sinkhole Loss

1. As respects locations in all states, EXCEPT Florida:

Sinkhole Loss means: The sudden sinking or collapse of land into underground empty spaces created by the action of water on limestone or dolomite. This does not include:

- a. The cost of filling sinkholes; or
- b. Sinking or collapse of land into man-made underground cavities.
- 2. As respects locations in Florida:
 - A) Sinkhole Loss means: "structural damage" to the "principal building", including the foundation, caused by "sinkhole activity" that occurs during the policy period.

"Sinkhole activity" means settlement or systematic weakening of the earth supporting the "principal building", only if the settlement or systematic weakening results from contemporaneous movement or raveling of soils, sediments, or rock materials into subterranean voids created by the effect of water on a limestone or similar rock formation.

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"Sinkhole" means a landform created by the subsidence of soil, sediment, or rock as underlying strata are dissolved by ground water.

A "sinkhole" forms by collapse into subterranean voids created by dissolution of limestone or dolostone or by subsidence as these strata are dissolved.

- B) Coverage for direct physical loss caused by "sinkhole loss" that occurs during the policy period is limited to the "principal building", including the costs incurred to:
 - 1. Stabilize the "principal building's" land and "principal building"; and
 - 2. Repair the foundation of the "principal building."

Such work must be in accordance with the requirements of Florida Insurance Law; and in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer and with notice to the Insured.

The professional engineer or professional geologist must be selected or approved by the Companies.

C) Upon receipt of a claim for a sinkhole loss to a "principal building", the Companies will inspect the property to determine if there is "structural damage" that may be a result of "sinkhole activity."

In the event of a "sinkhole loss" to a "principal building", the insured must repair the damage or loss in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer.

Prior to the Insured entering Into a contract for performance of building stabilization or foundation repair, if the Companies professional engineer selected or approved by the Companies determines that the repairs cannot be completed within the applicable Limit of Insurance, the Companies at their option; either:

- 1. Pay to complete the Companies' professional engineer's recommended repairs; or
- 2. Pay the policy limits of the applicable building.

However, until the Insured enters Into a contract for performance of building stabilization or foundation repair:

- 1. The Companies will not pay for underpinning or grouting or any other repair technique performed below the existing foundation of the affected "principal building"; and
- 2. The Companies' payment for "sinkhole loss" to the "principal building" may be limited to the actual cash value of the loss to such property.

After the Insured has entered into a contract for performance of building stabilization or foundation repair, the Companies will pay the amounts necessary to begin and perform such repairs:

- 1. As the work is performed; and
- 2. As the expenses are incurred.

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If repair has begun and the Companies' professional engineer determines that the repairs will exceed the applicable Limit of Insurance, they will pay only the remaining portion of the applicable Limit of Insurance upon such determination.

The most they will pay for the total of all "sinkhole loss," including:

- 1. "Principal building" and the "principal building's" land stabilization; and
- 2. Foundation repair of the "principal building",

is the applicable Limit of Insurance shown in the Declarations on the affected building.

The Companies will pay for direct physical loss or damage to Business Personal Property shown in the Declarations, when the following apply:

- 1. The Business Personal Property is located within a "principal building"; and
- 2. The direct physical loss or damage results from or is caused by direct "sinkhole loss" that occurs during the policy period.

They will not pay for loss or damage to Business Personal Property if the loss or damage is excluded elsewhere in this policy.

Coverage for Business Personal Property caused by "sinkhole loss" does not include building repair, loss or damage to the building, stabilization of the building or land, foundation repair or other property not covered, excluded, or limited elsewhere in this policy.

- D) "Sinkhole loss" does not include:
 - 1. Sinking or collapse of land into man-made underground cavities; or
 - 2. Earthquake; or
 - Land or the replacement, rebuilding, restoration, or value of land except as provided under B.1. above and in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer.
- E) In order to prevent additional damage to the "principal building", the Insured must enter into a contract for the performance of building stabilization and foundation repairs in accordance with the recommendations of the Companies' professional engineer within 90 days after the Companies confirm coverage for "sinkhole loss" and notify the Insured of such coverage.

This time period tolls if either party invokes the neutral evaluation process, and begins again 10 days after the conclusion of the neutral evaluation process.

The stabilization and all other repairs to the "principal building" and Business Personal Property must be completed within 12 months after entering into the contract for repairs unless:

- 1. There is mutual agreement between the Insured and the Companies;
- 2. The claim is involved with the Neutral Evaluation Process;
- 3. The claim is in litigation; or
- 4. The claim is under appraisal or mediation.

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This Coverage Part applies when the Declarations shows a Limit of Insurance for the affected "principal building."

- F) After the Companies inspect the property, they may deny the claim with or without testing provided under Section 627.7072, Florida Statutes.
 - 1. The Insured may demand testing, which must be communicated to the Companies in writing, within 60 days after the Insured's receipt of the Companies' denial of the claim.
 - 2. The Insured shall pay 50% of the actual costs of the analyses and services or \$2,500, whichever is less.
 - 3. The Companies shall reimburse the Insured for costs in 2. above if the Companies' engineer or their geologist provides written certification that there is "sinkhole loss."
- G) If the Insured has submitted a sinkhole claim without good faith grounds for submitting such claim and such claim is not withdrawn prior to the Companies' ordering at the Insured's request, sinkhole analysis and services to investigate the claim, the Insured is required after the Companies obtain written certification that there is no "sinkhole activity", to reimburse the Companies for 50% of the actual costs, up to \$2,500, of the sinkhole analysis and services provided by a professional engineer or professional geologist to conduct testing to determine the cause of loss; pursuant to Sections 627.7072 and 627.7073, Florida Statutes.
- H) As a precondition for accepting payment for a "sinkhole loss," the Insured must file with the county clerk of court a copy of any sinkhole report which was prepared on the Insured's behalf or at their request.

The Insured will bear the costs of filing and recording the sinkhole report.

- The Insured may not accept a "rebate" from any person performing repairs, pursuant to Section 627.707, Florida Statutes.
 - If the Insured receives a "rebate", coverage is vold and they must refund the amount of the rebate to the Companies.
- J) With respect to coverage provided by this clause, the Earth Movement and/or Settlement exclusions do not apply.
- K) Neutral Evaluation Program With respect to a claim for alleged sinkhole loss, a neutral evaluation program is available to either party if a sinkhole report has been issued pursuant to Section 627.7073, Florida Statutes.
 - Following receipt by the Companies of a report from a professional engineer or professional geologist on the cause of loss and recommendations for land stabilization and repair of property, or if they deny the claim, they will notify the Insured of the Insured's right to participate in a neutral evaluation program administered by the Florida Department of Financial Services (hereinafter referred to as the Department).
 - 2. For alleged "sinkhole loss" to commercial residential properties, this program applies instead of any mediation procedure (if any) set forth elsewhere in this policy.
 - The Insured or the Companies may file a request with the Department for neutral evaluation; the other party must comply with such request.

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4. The Companies will pay the reasonable costs associated with the neutral evaluation, regardless of which party makes the request.

However, if a party chooses to hire a court reporter or stenographer to contemporaneously record and document the neutral evaluation, that party shall bear such costs.

5. The neutral evaluator will be selected from a list maintained by the Department.

The neutral evaluator must be allowed reasonable access to the interior and exterior of the "principal building" to be evaluated or for which a claim has been made.

- 6. The recommendation of the neutral evaluator will not be binding on the Insured or the Companies.
- 7. Participation in the neutral evaluation program does not change the Insured's right to file suit against the Companies in accordance with any Suit Against Companies condition in this policy; except that the time for filing suit is extended for a period of:
 - a. 60 days following the conclusion of the neutral evaluation process; or
 - b. five years, whichever is later.
- Coverage for "sinkhole loss" under this clause does not increase the applicable Limit of Insurance.

Even if loss or damage qualifies under, or includes, both:

- 1. Catastrophic Ground Cover Collapse (addressed elsewhere in the policy); and
- "Sinkhole loss,"

only the lesser Limit of Insurance will apply to such loss or damage.

- M) Coverage for "sinkhole loss" under this clause does not include visible physical damage or "structural damage" to covered property or to the "principal building" including the foundation caused by "sinkhole", "sinkhole loss", or "sinkhole activity" occurring prior to the inception of this policy.
- N) With respect to coverage provided by this clause, the following is added:

Any claim, including, but not limited to, initial, supplemental, and reopened claims under this policy is barred unless notice of the claim is given to the Companies in accordance with the terms of the policy within 2 years after the Insured knew or reasonably should have known about the sinkhole loss.

- O) The following Definitions are added as respects to Florida Sinkhole Loss:
 - 1. "Principal building":
 - a. If the Companies are insuring Business Personal Property located within a building that they do not insure under this policy, "principal building" means:

The building including any attached garage located at the Business Personal Property's insured location.

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"Principal building" does not include property described in paragraphs b.1) through b.7) below.

b. If the Companies are insuring a building or structure, "principal building" means each insured building, including any attached garage.

"Principal building" does not include:

- Appurtenant structures connected to the "principal building" by a fence, utility line, open space, or breezeway;
- Structures whose foundation is not part of or connected to the applicable "principal building" foundation;

These structures include, but are not limited to, screen enclosures, porches, lanals, carports, pools, pool decks, spas, gazebos, buildings that are not fully enclosed, buildings or structures constructed to be open to the weather, and other open sided or ancillary structures;

- Driveways, sidewalks, decks or patios; including, but not limited to, walkways, pavement, fences and other similar property;
- 4) Structures and other property excluded or not covered elsewhere in the policy;
- Materials, equipment, supplies and temporary structures on or within 100 feet of the insured locations used for making additions, alterations or repairs to property other than the "principal building";
- 6) Temporary structures on or within 100 feet of the insured locations used for making additions, alterations or repairs to the "principal building"; or
- 7) Other buildings or garages whose foundation is not part of or connected to the applicable "principal building" foundation.
- 2. "Primary structural member" means a structural element designed to provide support and stability for the vertical or lateral loads of the overall structure.
- 3. "Primary structural system" means an assemblage of "primary structural members."
- 4. "Structural damage" means when a "principal building", regardless of the date of its construction, has experienced the following:
 - a. Interior floor displacement or deflection in excess of acceptable variances as defined in ACI 117-90 or the Florida Building Code, which results in settlement related damage to the interior such that the interior building structure or members become unfit for service or represents a safety hazard as defined within the Florida Building Code;
 - b. Foundation displacement or deflection in excess of acceptable variances as defined in ACI 318-95 or the Florida Building Code, which results in settlement related damage to the "primary structural members" or "primary structural systems" that prevents those members or systems from supporting the loads and forces they were designed to support to the extent that stresses in those "primary structural members" or "primary structural systems" exceeds one and one-third the nominal strength allowed under the Florida Building Code for new buildings of similar structure, purpose, or location;

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- c. Damage that results in listing, leaning or buckling of the exterior load bearing walls or other vertical "primary structural members" to an extent that a plumb line passing through the center of gravity does not fall inside the middle one-third of the base as defined within the Florida Building Code;
- d. Damage that results in the building, or any portion of the building containing "primary structural members" or "primary structural systems", being significantly likely to imminently collapse because of the movement or instability of the ground within the influence zone of the supporting ground within the sheer plane necessary for the purpose of supporting such building as defined within the Florida Building Code; or
- e. Damage occurring on or after October 15, 2005, that qualifies as "substantial structural damage" as defined in the Florida Building Code.
- "Rebate" manes remuneration, payment, gift, discount, or transfer of any item of value to the Insured by or on behalf of a person performing the repairs as an incentive or inducement to obtain repairs performed by that person.
- BB. Smoke means loss or damage ensuing from a sudden and accidental release of Smoke. The peril of Smoke does not include loss or damage caused by Smoke from agricultural smudging or industrial operations.
- CC. Special Flood Hazard Areas means areas of 100-year flooding as defined by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and shall only include those Flood Zones that are prefixed A or V.
- DD. Tier 1 and Tier 2: Shall be defined as all locations situated within Tier 1 or Tier 2 Counties, Parishes or Independent Cities as specified below:

State	Tier 1	<u>Tier 2</u>	
AL	Baldwin Mobile	Covington Escambla Geneva Houston	·
СТ	Fairfield Middlesex New Haven New London		
DE	Sussex	Kent	
FL	All FL counties	Not Applicable	
GA	Bryan Camden Chatham Glynn Liberty Mcintosh	Brantley Charlton Effingham Long Wayne	

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LA	Cameron Iberia Jefferson Lafourche Orleans Plaquemines St Bernard St Martin (South) St Mary St Tammany Terrebonne Vermillon	Acadia Ascension Assumption Calcasieu Iberville Jefferson Davis Lafayette St Charles St James St John The Baptist St Martin (North) Tangipahoa Washington
MA	Barnstable Bristol Dukes Essex Nantucket Norfolk Plymouth Suffolk	Middlesex
MD	Worcester	Calvert Dorchester St. Mary's Somerset Wilcomico
ME	Cumberland Hancock Knox Lincoln Sagadahoc Waldo Washington York	
MS	Hancock Harrison Jackson	George Pearl River Stone
NC	Beaufort Bertie Brunswick Camden Carteret Chowan	Bladen Columbus Craven Duplin Gates Hertford

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NH	Rockingham Strafford	
NJ	Atlantic Cape May Monmouth Ocean	Burlington Cumberland Essex Hudson Middlesex Unlon
NY	Kings Nassau Queens Richmond Suffolk	Bronx New York Westchester
RI	Newport Washington	Bristol Kent
SC	Beaufort Charleston Colleton Georgetown Horry Jasper	Berkeley Dillon Dorchester Florence Hampton Marion Willlamsburg
TX	Aransas Brazoria Calhoun Cameron Chambers Galveston Jefferson Kenedy Kleberg Matagorda Nueces	Bee Brooks Fort Bend Goliad Hardin Harris Hidalgo Jackson Jim Wells Liberty Live Oak

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VA	Accomack Chesapeake Gloucester Hampton Isle of Wight James City Lancaster Mathews Middlesex Newport News Norfolk Northampton Northumberland Poquoson Portsmouth Suffolk Surry Virginia Beach City Westmoreland Williamsburg City York	

- EE. Total Insurable Values (TIV): The Total Insurable Values shall include all Covered Property (Real & Personal Property) and Time Element values reported on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc.
- FF. Valuable Papers and Records means documents that are written, printed or otherwise inscribed. These include:
 - 1. Books, manuscripts, abstracts, maps and drawings; film and other photographically produced records, such as slides and microfilm;
 - 2. Legal and financial agreements, such as deeds and mortgages;
 - 3. Addressograph plates; and
 - 4. Any electrically produced data, such as printouts, punched cards, tapes or discs.

Valuable Papers and Records does not mean money and securities and converted data, programs or instructions used in data processing operations, including the materials on which the data is stored.

GG.Vandalism and Malicious Mischief means willful and malicious damage to, or destruction of, Covered Property. Vandalism and Malicious Mischief does not include loss or damage caused by or resulting from theft, except for real property loss or damage caused by the breaking or exiting of burglars.

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HH.Warranty:

- "Warranty" means any provision of an insurance contract which has the effect of requiring, as a
 condition precedent of the taking effect of such contract or as a condition precedent of the
 Companies' liability hereunder, the existence of fact which tends to diminish, or the non-existence
 of a fact which tends to increase, the risk of the occurrence of loss or damage within the coverage
 of the contract.
- 2. A breach of warranty shall not void an insurance contract or defeat recovery hereunder unless such breach materially increases the risk of loss, damage or injury within the coverage of the contract. If the insurance contract specified two or more distinct kinds of loss, damage or injury which are within its coverage, a breach of warranty shall not void such contract or defeat recovery hereunder with respect to any kind of loss, damage or injury other than the kind or kinds to which such warranty relates and the risk of which is materially increased by the breach of such warranty.
- II. Windstorm or Hail: Direct action of wind or by the direct action of hail, whether accompanied by wind or not, but no liability is assumed under this peril for loss or damage caused by or resulting from frost or cold weather, ice (other than hail), snow or sleet, whether driven by wind or not.

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

Amrisc Cat Covered Property Endorsement

This endorsement modifies insurance provided by all insurance companies and Lloyd's of London (all hereinafter, the "Companies"), subject to the Contract Allocation Endorsement AR CA, under the following form (if attached to this policy):

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY COMPASS FORM

As used in this endorsement, the word "peril" is synonymous with "cause of loss"; and the term "limit of liability" is synonymous with "limit of insurance". The word "you" shall refer to the Insured.

As respects the Perils of Hurricane, Windstorm and Hail, the following is added to Section III.B., PROPERTY EXCLUDED in the Commercial Property Compass Form:

PROPERTY NOT COVERED

- 1. The Companies do not cover:
 - a. Other structures

The Companies do not cover other structures on the insured Location set apart from the Building by clear space. This includes structures connected to the Building or mobile home by only a fence, utility line or similar connection.

- b. Animals, birds, or fish, unless owned by others and boarded by you, or if owned by you, only as "stock" while inside a **Building** described on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc;
- Accounts, bank notes, bills, bullion, coins, currency, deeds, evidences of debt; letters of credit, tickets and stamps, manuscripts, medals, money, notes, bank notes, passports, personal records, or securities;
- d. Articles of gold, gold ware; gold-plated ware, silver-ware, silver-plated ware, platinum; or platinum ware, platinum-plated ware, pewter, pewter ware; or pewter-plated ware. This includes flatware, hollowware, tea sets, trays and trophies made of or including silver, gold, pewter or platinum.
- e. Aircraft and parts. Aircraft means any contrivance used or designed for flight, except model or hobby aircraft not used or designed to carry people or cargo; or if owned by you, only as "stock" while inside an insured Building;.
- f. Motor vehicles or all other motorized land conveyances; trailers on wheels. This includes:
 - (1) Their equipment and accessories; or
 - (2) Electronic apparatus that is designed to be operated solely by use of the power from the electrical system of motor vehicles or all other motorized land conveyances. Electronic apparatus includes:
 - (a) Accessories or antennas; or
 - (b) Tapes, wires, records, discs or other media for use with any electronic apparatus described in this item f.

The exclusion of property described in f.(1) and f.(2) above, applies only while the property is in or upon the vehicle or conveyance.

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The Companies do cover vehicles or conveyances, other than autos or vehicles you hold for sale, not subject to motor vehicle registration contained within an enclosed structure on the insured Location which are:

- (a) contained within an enclosed structure; and
- (b) used to service an insured Location; or
- (c) designed for assisting the handicapped; and
- (d) are self-propelled machines; and
- (e) are not autos or vehicles you hold for sale.
- g. Watercraft and their furnishings, other than rowboats and canoes out of water at the insured Location, unless:
 - (1) owned by you only as "stock" when removed from, out of, or not over water; and
 - (2) located in or within 100 feet of the insured Building.
- h. Data, including data stored in:
 - (1) Books of account, card index systems, drawings or other paper records; or
 - (2) Electronic data processing tapes, wires, records, drums, cells, discs, magnetic recording, storage or other software media.

However, the Companies do cover up to \$1,000 under item h.(2) the cost of blank or unexposed recording or storage media and of prerecorded computer programs available in the market. This limit does not increase the contents Limit of Liability.

If Electronic Data Processing is covered by this policy, this exclusion does not apply to the extent that coverage is provided under such extension.

- Credit cards or fund transfer cards;
- j. Business personal property while airborne, waterborne or in transit;
- k. Paint or waterproof material including stain, applied to the exterior of any Building or structure;
- Pilings, piers, wharves, retaining walls, seawalls, bulkheads, beach or diving platforms or appurtenances, docks or boathouses;
- m. Trees, shrubs, plants, flowers, lawns, tee boxes, fairways, greens, landscaping, bunkers or sand traps, or artifical turf;
- n. Windmills, wind pumps or their towers, or smokestacks;
- Awnings, canopies or other roof like projection or covering, whether fabric or not, whether permanent or retractable;
- p. Steeples and fountains;
- q. Grain, hay, straw and other crops, crop silos or their contents;
- Bridges, boardwalks, trestles, catwalks, bleachers, dune walks, ramps, roadways, walks, decks, and patios and similar structures, or other paved or graveled surfaces, whether or not attached to the Building;
- s. Amusement equipment;
- t. Fabric windscreens on fences;

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- u. Any structure or attachment, whether attached or separate from the insured Building, where that structure's roof coverings are of fabric, thatch, lattice, or slats and similar material; or where that structure's exterior wall coverings are of fabric, thatch, lattice, or slats and similar material, and personal property within or on these structures;
- v. Slat houses, chickees, tiki huts, gazebos and pergolas or similar structures and personal property contained within or on these structures;
- w. Signs, scoreboards, radio or television antennas or aerials, satellite dishes (including lead-in wiring, masts or towers and their supports), fences, gates, fountains, statues, monuments, utility poles (including light fixtures), light poles, traffic lights and traffic signals.

However, the Companies do cover solar paneling and other similar water heating or electrical apparatus when:

- (1) outside the Building (including lead-in pipes, wiring, masts or towers and their supports), and
- (2) permanently installed, and
- (3) located on the insured Location, and
- (4) used for the service of the covered property.
- x. Land, including land on which the other structures are located.
- The Companies do cover the following property if, and only if, it is described as separate and specific items on the Statement of Values on file with AmRise:
 - a. Any structure, whether attached or separate from the covered **Building**, where that structure's roof covering is of screen;
 - b. Signs, scoreboards, light poles, fences, gates, fountains, statues, monuments, artificial turf, bleachers, property walls and similar structures separating parcels of land;
 - c. Greenhouses, glasshouses, hothouses, open-sided sheds, carports, cabanas, gazebos, swimming pools, jacuzzis, hot tubs/spas, or similar structures, including their decking, but not:
 - (1) business personal property or contents contained within or on these structures, or
 - (2) when these structures are comprised of fabric, thatch, lattice, slats or similar material.
 - d. Enclosed garages, enclosed tool sheds, enclosed sheds, enclosed pump houses, enclosed boiler sheds, enclosed pool houses, enclosed air conditioning sheds, enclosed guardhouses, enclosed workshops, enclosed maintenance sheds, and the business personal property or contents contained within or on the structures;
 - e. Any structure, including the contents and business personal property contained within or on the structure, that is located in whole or in part over water;
 - f. Mobile homes, temporary Buildings, portable Buildings, travel trailers and similar structures or conveyances, (including business personal property contained in or on or pertaining to these structures or conveyances);
 - g. However, the Companies do not cover business personal property or contents of any structure or other property regardless of whether it is described as separate and specific item(s) in the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc, when:
 - (1) Such structure is comprised of fabric, thatch, lattice, slats or similar material; or
 - (2) Not covered as explained in other sections of this policy.
 - h. Self-supported, stand alone canopies.

LIMIT

As respects property covered by this Endorsement, the Companies' Limit of Liability shall be limited to the values shown on the Statement of Values on file with AmRisc; however, in no event to exceed \$100,000 per Occurrence as respects all property combined.

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DEDUCTIBLE

As respects property covered by this Endorsement, the Deductible shall be equal to 10% of the total insurable values of the property covered by this endorsement, subject to a minimum deductible of \$100,000 per Occurrence.

This deductible shall be a separate deductible from any other deductible stated elsewhere in the policy, but only the largest minimum deductible shall apply.

DEFINITIONS

As used in this endorsement these words have the following meaning:

- "Windstorm" means wind, wind gusts, tornadoes or cyclones which result in direct physical loss or damage to property.
- 2. "Hurricane" means:
 - a. Coverage for loss or damage caused by the peril of windstorm during a hurricane.
 - b. "Windstorm" for the purposes of subparagraph a. means wind, wind gusts, hail, rain, or tornadoes or cyclones caused by or resulting from a hurricane which results in direct physical loss or damage to property.
 - c. "Hurricane" for the purposes of subparagraphs a, and b, means a storm system that has been declared to be a hurricane by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service. The duration of the hurricane includes the time period, in the state of the insured **Location**:
 - (1) Beginning at the time of a hurricane watch or warning is issued by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service;
 - (2) Continuing for the time period during which the hurricane conditions exist; and
 - (3) Ending 72 hours following the termination of the last hurricane watch or hurricane warning issued by the National Hurricane Center of the National Weather Service.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY,

LLOYD'S OF LONDON AMENDATORY

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY **CERTAIN UNDERWRITERS AT LLOYD'S, LONDON**, THE FOLLOWING CLAUSES (SERVICE OF SUIT, APPLICABLE LAW, and SLC-3) SHALL APPLY:

Service of Suit Clause (U.S.A.) NMA 1998 4/24/86 (USA date)

It is agreed that in the event of the failure of the Underwriters hereon to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Underwriters hereon, at the request of the Insured (or Reinsured), will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of Underwriters' rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon

- California Insureds:
 Foley & Lardner, LLP
 555 California Street, Suite 1700
 San Francisco, CA 94104-1520
 USA
- All other Insureds:
 Mendes and Mount
 750 Seventh Avenue
 New York, NY 10019-6829;
 USA

and that in any suit instituted against any one of them upon this contract, Underwriters will abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

The above-named are authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of Underwriters in any such suit and/or upon the request of the Insured (or Reinsured) to have a written undertaking to the Insured (or Reinsured) that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefor, Underwriters hereon hereby designate the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Insured (or Reinsured) or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance (or reinsurance), and hereby designate the above-named person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

APPLICABLE LAW (U.S.A.) LMA5021 9/14/2005 (USA date)

This Insurance shall be subject to the applicable state law to be determined by the court of competent jurisdiction as determined by the provisions of the Service of Suit Clause (USA).

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Lloyd's Certificate

This Insurance is effected with certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London.

This Certificate is issued in accordance with the limited authorization granted to the Correspondent by certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London whose syndicate numbers and the proportions underwritten by them can be ascertained from the office of the said Correspondent (such Underwriters being hereinafter called "Underwriters") and in consideration of the premium specified herein, Underwriters hereby bind themselves severally and not jointly, each for his own part and not one for another, their Executors and Administrators.

The Assured is requested to read this Certificate, and if it is not correct, return it immediately to the Correspondent for appropriate alteration.

All inquiries regarding this Certificate should be addressed to the following Correspondent:

SLC-3 (USA) NMA2868 (08/24/2000 - USA date)

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CERTIFICATE PROVISIONS

- 1. Signature Required. This Certificate shall not be valid unless signed by the Correspondent on the attached Declaration Page.
- 2. Correspondent Not Insurer (all states, except California). The Correspondent is not an Insurer hereunder and neither is nor shall be liable for any loss or claim whatsoever. The Insurers hereunder are those Underwriters at Lloyd's, London whose syndicate numbers can be ascertained as hereinbefore set forth. As used in this Certificate "Underwriters" shall be deemed to include incorporated as well as unincorporated persons or entities that are Underwriters at Lloyd's, London.

Correspondent Not Insurer (California). The Correspondent is not an Insurer of the insurance described herein and neither is nor shall be liable for any loss or claim whatsoever. The Insurers of such insurance are those Underwriters at Lloyd's, London, whose names can be ascertained as hereinbefore set forth. As used in this Certificate "Underwriters" shall be deemed to include incorporated as well as unincorporated persons or entities that are Underwriters at Lloyd's, London.

 Cancellation (all states, except California). If this Certificate provides for cancellation and this Certificate is cancelled after the inception date, earned premium must be paid for the time the insurance has been in force.

Cancellation (California). If the insurance described herein provides for cancellation and if said insurance is cancelled after the inception date, earned premium must be paid for the time the insurance has been in force.

4. Service of Suit (all states, except California). It is agreed that in the event of the failure of Underwriters to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, Underwriters, at the request of the Assured, will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of Underwriters' rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon the firm or person named in item 6 of the attached Declaration Page, and that in any suit instituted against any one of them upon this contract, Underwriters will abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

The above-named are authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of Underwriters in any such suit and/or upon request of the Assured to give a written undertaking to the Assured that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefor, Underwriters hereby designate the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Assured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance, and hereby designate the above-mentioned as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

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Service of Suit Clause (California). In the event of the failure of Underwriters to pay any amount claimed to be due under the insurance described herein, Underwriters have agreed that, at the request of the Assured, they will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of Underwriters' rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. In any suit instituted against any one of them upon the insurance described herein, Underwriters have agreed to abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

Underwriters have further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon the firm or person named in item 6 on the attached Declaration Page. Underwriters have agreed that such firm or person is authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of Underwriters in any such suit and/or upon the request of the Assured to give a written undertaking to the Assured that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event that such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefor, Underwriters have designated the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Assured or any beneficiary arising out of the insurance described herein, and have designated the abovementioned as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or true copy thereof.

- 5. Assignment (all states, except California). This Certificate shall not be assigned either in whole or in part without the written consent of the Correspondent endorsed hereon.
 - Assignment (California). The insurance described herein shall not be assigned either in whole or in part without the written consent of the Correspondent endorsed hereon.
- 6. Attached Conditions Incorporated (all states, except California). This Certificate is made and accepted subject to all the provisions, conditions and warranties set forth herein, attached or endorsed, all of which are to be considered as incorporated herein.
 - Attached Conditions Incorporated (California). The insurance described in this Certificate is subject to all provisions, conditions and warranties set forth herein, attached, or endorsed, all of which are to be considered incorporated herein as further descriptive of the insurance the placement of which is evidenced by this Certificate.
- 7. Short Rate Cancellation (all states, except California). If the attached provisions provide for cancellation, the table below will be used to calculate the short rate proportion of the premium when applicable under the terms of cancellation.
 - **Short Rate Cancellation (California).** If the attached provisions provide for cancellation, the table below will be used to calculate the short rate proportion of the premium when applicable under the terms of cancellation. Premiums for cancellations pursuant to Paragraph 6 of the Notice on page 1 of this Certificate will be prorated.

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Short Rate Cancellation Table For Term of One Year (for all states, including California).

Days	Per Cent	Days	Per Cent	Days	Per Cent	Days	Per Cent
Insurance in	of one year	Insurance in	of one year	Insurance in	of one year	Insurance in	of one year
Force	Premium	Force	Premium	Force	Premium	Force	Premlum
1	5%	66 - 69	29%	154 - 156	53%	256 - 260	77%
2	6	70 - 73	30	157 - 160	54	261 - 264	
3 - 4	7	74 - 76	31	161 - 164		265 - 269	
5 - 6 ,	8	77 - 80	32	165 - 167	56	270 - 273 (9 1	
7 - 8	9	81 - 83	33	168 - 171		274 - 278	
9 - 10	10	84 - 87		172 - 175		279 - 282	
11 - 12		88 - 91 (3 r		176 - 178		283 - 287	
13 - 14	12	92 - 94		179 - 182 (6 n	nos)60	288 - 291	
15 - 16	13	95 - 98	37	183 - 187	61	292 - 296,	
17 - 18	14	99 - 102		188 - 191,		297 - 301,	
19 - 20	15	103 - 105		192 - 196	63	302 - 305 (10	
21 - 22		106 - 109		197 - 200		306 - 310	
23 - 25,		110 - 113		201 - 205	65	311 - 314	89
26 - 29	18	114 - 116		206 - 209		315 - 319	90
30 - 32 (1 mg	os) 19	117 - 120		210 - 214 (7 n		320 - 323	
33 - 36		121 - 124 (4 r		215 - 218	68	324 - 328	
37 - 40	21	125 - 127	45	219 - 223	69	329 - 332	
41 - 43	22	128 - 131	46	224 - 228		333 - 337 (11	
44 - 47		132 - 135		229 - 232		338 - 342	
48 - 51	24	136 - 138	48	233 - 237	72	343 - 346	
52 - 54		139 - 142		238 - 241		347 - 351	
55 - 58		143 - 146		242 - 246 (8 n	nos)74	352 - 355,	
59 - 62 (2 mg	os) 27	147 - 149		247 - 250		356 - 360	
63 - 65		150 - 153 (5 n		251 - 255		361 - 365 (12	

Rules applicable to insurance with terms less than or more than one year:

- A. If insurance has been in force for one year or less, apply the short rate table for annual insurance to the full annual premium determined as for insurance written for a term of one year.
- B. If insurance has been in force for more than one year:
 - 1. Determine full annual premium as for insurance written for a term of one year.
 - 2. Deduct such premium from the full insurance premium, and on the remainder calculate the pro rata earned premium on the basis of the ratio of the length of time beyond one year the insurance has been in force to the length of time beyond one year for which the policy was originally written.
 - Add premium produced in accordance with items (1) and (2) to obtain earned premium during full period insurance has been in force.
- 8. (California) The certificate is intended for use as evidence of the placement of the insurance described herein, in accordance with Section 1764 of the California Insurance Code.

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This Declaration Page is attached to and forms part of Certificate provisions (Form SLC-3 USA NMA2868)				
Previou	us No. *	Authority Ref. No. *	Certifica	ate No. *
		* As stated elsew	here in the Policy	
1.	Name and add	ess of the Assured:		
		As stated elsewh	ere in the Policy	
2.	Effective from	* to * both days at 1	2:01 a.m. standa	rd time.
		* As stated elsew	here in the Policy	
3.	Insurance is eff	ective with certain UND	ERWRITERS A	T LLOYD'S, LONDON.
	Percentage: As	stated elsewhere on the P	olicy %	
4.	Amount *	Coverage *	Rate *	Premium *
		* As stated elsew	here in the Policy	
5, ·	Forms attached	hereto and special conc	litions:	
		As stated elsewh	ere in the Policy	
6,	Service of Suit	may be made upon:		
		As stated elsewh	ere in the Policy	
7.,	In the event of	a claim, please notify the	following:	THE PARTY OF THE STREET OF THE
		As stated elsewh	nere in the Policy	
Dated	As stated elsewh	ere in the Policy	by	As stated elsewhere in the Policy
				Correspondent



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INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY AMENDATORY

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY **INDIAN HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY**, THE FOLLOWING CLAUSES SHALL APPLY:

Service of Process Clause

1. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, Washington and Wyoming:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

2. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Alaska, Arizona, Idaho, Illinois, Nebraska, South Carolina and South Dakota:

Service of Process

The Director of Insurance of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Director of Insurance,

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

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3. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Kentucky, Louisiana and West Virginia:

Service of Process

The Secretary of State of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Secretary of State.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

4. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in New Mexico, New York and Ohio:

Service of Process

The Superintendent of Insurance of the above applicable state is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in the above applicable state to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Superintendent of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

5. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in California:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the State of California is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

John Oster 1990 North California Boulevard Suite 740 Walnut Creek, CA 94596

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as its agent in California to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

6. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Maine:

Service of Process

The Acting Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Maine is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

CT Corporation System One Portland Square Portland, ME 04101

as its agent in Maine to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Acting Superintendent of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

7. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Michigan:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Michigan is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

The Corporation Company 30600 Telegraph Road Bingham Farms, MI 48025

as its agent in Michigan to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

8. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Minnesota:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Commerce of the State of Minnesota is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

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as its agent in Minnesota to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Commerce.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

9. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Missouri:

Service of Process

The Director of the Department of Insurance of the State of Missouri is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in Missouri to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Director of the Department of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

10. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Rhode Island:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Rhode Island is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Ms. Sherry A. Goldin CT Corporation System 10 Weybosset Street Providence, RI 02903

as its agent in Rhode Island to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

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11. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Utah:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in Utah to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance or Lieutenant Governor.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

12. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Virginia:

Service of Process

The Clerk of the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Virginia is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

as its agent in Virginia to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Clerk of the Commissioner of Insurance.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, sult or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

13. The following Service of Process Clause applies to all policies written in Wisconsin:

Service of Process

The Commissioner of Insurance and the Department of Financial Institutions of the State of Wisconsin is hereby designated the true and lawful attorney of the Company upon whom may be served all lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of this policy. The Company further designates:

Sarah Mims Assistant Secretary 505 Eagleview Boulevard, Suite 100 Exton, Pennsylvania 19341-0636

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as its agent in Wisconsin to whom such process shall be forwarded by the Commissioner of Insurance or the Department of Financial Institutions.

For Illinois exposures, the Insurer further designates the Director of the Illinois Division of Insurance and his successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of an Illinois exposure and this contract of insurance.

All other terms and conditions of this policy remain unchanged.

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FRAUD NOTICE

Arkansas	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or
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	benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty
Colorado	of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
Colorado	It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or
	information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or
	attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines,
	denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an
	insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading
	facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding
	or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement
	or award payable for insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado
District of	Division of Insurance within the Department of Regulatory Agencies. WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the
Columbia	
Columbia	purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment
	and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information
Closida	materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.
Florida	Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or
Kansas	misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree. A "fraudulent insurance act" means an act committed by any person who, knowingly
Nalisas	and with intent to defraud, presents, causes to be presented or prepares with
	knowledge or belief that it will be presented to or by an insurer, purported insurer,
	broker or any agent thereof, any written, electronic, electronic impulse, facsimile,
	magnetic, oral, or telephonic communication or statement as part of, or in support of, an
	application for the issuance of, or the rating of an insurance policy for personal or
	commercial insurance, or a claim for payment or other benefit pursuant to an insurance
	policy for commercial or personal insurance which such person knows to contain
	materially false information concerning any fact material thereto; or conceals, for the
	purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto.
Kentucky	Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other
	person files an application for insurance containing any materially false information or
	conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material
	thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.
Louisiana	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or
	benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty
	of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
Maine	It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an
	insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include
	imprisonment, fines, or denial of insurance benefits.
Maryland	Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment
- 1	of a loss or benefit or who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an
	application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and
	confinement in prison.
New Jersey	Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an application for an
•	insurance policy is subject to criminal and civil penalties.
New Mexico	ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM
ı	FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE
	INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME
1	AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES.
	AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES.

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New York	General: All applications for commercial insurance, other than automobile insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.
	All applications for automobile insurance and all claim forms: Any person who knowingly makes or knowingly assists, abets, solicits or conspires with another to make a false report of the theft, destruction, damage or conversion of any motor vehicle to a law enforcement agency, the department of motor vehicles or an insurance company, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the value of the subject motor vehicle or stated claim for each violation.
	Fire: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance containing any false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.
	The proposed insured affirms that the foregoing information is true and agrees that these applications shall constitute a part of any policy issued whether attached or not and that any willful concealment or misrepresentation of a material fact or circumstances shall be grounds to rescind the insurance policy.
Ohio	Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.
Oklahoma	WARNING : Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.
Pennsylvania	All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.
	Automobile Insurance: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure or defraud any insurer files an application or claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information shall, upon conviction, be subject to imprisonment for up to seven years and the payment of a fine of up to \$15,000.
Puerto Rico	Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation by a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances [be] present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

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Rhode Island	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or
	benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty
	of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
Tennessee	All Commercial Insurance, Except As Provided for Workers' Compensation It is a
	crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance
	company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment,
	fines and denial of insurance benefits.
	Workers' Compensation: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or
	misleading information to any party to a workers' compensation transaction for the
	purpose of committing fraud. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of
	insurance benefits.
Utah	Workers' Compensation: Any person who knowingly presents false or fraudulent
	underwriting information, files or causes to be filed a false or fraudulent claim for
	disability compensation or medical benefits, or submits a false or fraudulent report or
	billing for health care fees or other professional services is guilty of a crime and may be
	subject to fines and confinement in state prison.
Virginia	It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an
_	insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include
	imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.
Washington	It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an
	insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include
	imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.
West Virginia	Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or
	benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty
	of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
All Other States	Any person who knowingly and willfully presents false information in an application for
	insurance may be guilty of insurance fraud and subject to fines and confinement in
	prison. (In Oregon, the aforementioned actions may constitute a fraudulent insurance
	act which may be a crime and may subject the person to penalties).

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

QBE INSURANCE COMPANY SERVICE OF PROCESS ENDORSEMENT

When a cause of action arises in any of the states listed below, service of process applies as shown below for that state, As used in this endorsement, "the Company" shall mean QBE Specialty Insurance Company.

ALABAMA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Alabama as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 2 North Jackson Street, Suite 605, Montgomery, AL 36104 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

ALASKA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Alaska under this contract, the Company may be sued. The Company appoints the Director of Insurance for the State of Alaska as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Director, or their successors in office, shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 9360 Glacier Highway, Suite 202, Juneau, AK 99801 as the person to whom the Director is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

ARIZONA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Arizona under this contract, QBE Specialty Insurance Company (hereafter referred to as "the Company") may be sued in the circuit court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Arizona by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 2390 East Camelback Road, Phoenix, AZ 85016 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

ARKANSAS Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Arkansas under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Arkansas and his successors in office by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 124 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 1900, Little Rock, AR 72201 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

CALIFORNIA Service of Suit Clause

We hereby appoint Nancy Flores, c/o C.T. Corporation System, 818 West 7th Street, 2nd Floor,Los Angeles, California, 90017, as our true and lawful attorney in and for the State of California, upon whom all lawful process may be served in any action, "suit" or proceeding instituted in California by or on behalf of any insured or beneficiary against us arising out of this insurance policy, provided a copy of any process, "sult", complaint or summons is sent by certified or registered mail to: 88 Pine Street - 16th Floor, New York, NY 10005.

COLORADO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Colorado as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 1675 Broadway, Suite 1200, Denver, CO 80202 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

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CONNECTICUT Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Connecticut as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, One Corporate Center, Floor 11, Hartford, CT 06103 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

DELAWARE Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Delaware, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates The Corporation Trust Company, Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, DE 19801 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

FLORIDA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Chief Financial Officer of the Office of Insurance Regulation, as its agent upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1200 South Pine Island Road, Plantation, FL 33324 as the person to whom the Chief Financial Officer shall mail process.

GEORGIA Service of Process

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the superior court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Georgia Commissioner of Insurance as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1201 Peachtree Street, N.E., Atlanta, GA 30361 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

HAWAII Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Hawaii as its attorney for acceptance of service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, Inc., 1136 Union Mall, Suite 301, Honolulu, HI 96813 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

IDAHO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Idaho under this contract, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Idaho. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 921 S. Orchard Street, Suite G, Boise, ID 83705 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

ILLINOIS Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Director of the Illinois Department of Insurance and his successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 208 South LaSalle Street, Suite 814, Chicago, IL 60604 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

INDIANA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Indiana under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Indiana by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 150 West Market Street, Suite 800, Indianapolis, IN 46204 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

KANSAS Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Kansas under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon

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the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Kansas and his successor or successors in office. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, Inc., 112 S.W. Seventh Street, Suite 3C, Topeka, KS 66603 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

KENTUCKY Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Kentucky under this contract, the Company may be sued in the circuit court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 306 West Main Street, Suite 512, Frankfort, KY 40601 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

LOUISIANA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Louisiana under this contract, the Company may be sued in the district court of the parish in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 5615 Corporate Boulevard, Suite 400B, Baton Rouge, LA 70808 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

MAINE Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in this State under this policy, the Company may be sued in the Superior Court. Service of legal process against the Company may be made in any such action by service of two copies upon the designated agent. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1536 Main Street, Readfield, ME 04355 as the agent.

MARYLAND Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Maryland under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maryland by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Trust Incorporated, 351 West Camden Street, Baltimore, MD 21201 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MASSACHUSETTS Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Massachusetts, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 155 Federal Street, Suite 700, Boston, MA 02110 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MICHIGAN Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Michigan under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon Director of Insurance, c/o Resident Agent, of the State of Michigan by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 30600 Telegraph Road, Suite 2345, Bingham Farms, MI 48025 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MINNESOTA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Minnesota under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Commerce of the State of Minnesota by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, Inc., 100 South 5th Street, Suite 1075, Minneapolis, MN 55402 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MISSISSIPPI Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Mississippi, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 645 Lakeland East Drive, Suite 101, Flowood, MS 39232 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

MISSOURI Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Missouri under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Missouri and his successors in office by the clerk of the court in which

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the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 120 South Central Avenue, Clayton, MO 63105 as the person to whom the Director shall mail process.

MONTANA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Montana, as its attorney for acceptance of the service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 208 North Broadway, Suite 313, Billings, MT 59101 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

NEBRASKA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Nebraska under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of Nebraska. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 5601 South 59th Street, Lincoln, NE 68516 as the person to whom the Director shall mall process.

NEVADA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Nevada under this contract, the Company may be sued in a district court of Nevada. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Nevada or the Commissioner's authorized representative. The Company further designates The Corporation Trust Company of Nevada, 311 South Division Street, Carson City, NV 89703 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

NEW HAMPSHIRE Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in New Hampshire under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of New Hampshire by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 9 Capitol Street, Concord, NH 03301 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

NEW MEXICO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in New Mexico under this contract, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New Mexico by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates Registered Agent: C T Corporation System, 123 East Marcy, Santa Fe, NM 87501 as the person to whom the Superintendent shall mail process.

NEW YORK Service of Process Clause

QBE Specialty Insurance Company (hereafter referred to as "the Company") pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 41, promulgated by New York (11 NYCRR 27.16) by issuance of this policy hereby constitutes and appoints the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York as its true and lawful attorney upon whom all lawful process may be served in any action, suit, or proceeding instituted in this State by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary against the Company arising out of this policy of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 111 Eighth Avenue, 13th Floor, New York, NY 10011 as the person to whom the Superintendent shall mail process.

NORTH CAROLINA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of North Carolina, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 150 Fayetteville Street, Box 1011, Raleigh, NC 27601 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mall process.

OHIO Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Ohio under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, 1300 East 9th Street, Cleveland, OH 44114 as the person to whom the Superintendent shall mail process.

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OKLAHOMA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Oklahoma under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Oklahoma by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates The Corporation Company, 1833 South Morgan Road, Oklahoma City, OK 73128 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

OREGON Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Oregon under this contract, the Company may be sued in the circuit court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company further designates: CT Corporation System, 388 State Street, Suite 420, Salem, OR 97301 as the person to whom the process shall be mailed.

PENNSYLVANIA Service of Process Clause

It is agreed that in the event of the failure of the Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) herein to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) herein, at the request of the Insured (or reinsured), will submit to the jurisdiction of any court of competent jurisdiction within the United States of America and will comply with all requirements necessary to give such court jurisdiction, and all matters arising hereunder shall be determined in accordance with the law and practice of such court. It is further agreed that in any such action instituted against any one of them upon this contract, Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal. Service of process shall be made pursuant to the procedures provided by 42 Pa,C.S. Ch, 53 Subch. B (relating to interstate and international procedure). When making service of process by mail, such process shall be mailed to: CT Corporation System, 116 Pine Street, Suite 320, Harrisburg, PA 17101. The above-named is authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of the Insured(s) or Underwriter(s) in any such action or upon the request of the insured (or reinsured) to give a written undertaking to the insured (or reinsured) that it or they will enter a general appearance for the Insurer(s) or Underwriter(s) in the event such an action shall be instituted. Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States of America, which makes provisions therefor, the Insured(s) or Underwriter(s) hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute or his successor or successors in office, as the true and lawful attorney upon whom any lawful process may be served in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured (or reinsured) or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of his contract of insurance (or reinsurance), and hereby designates the above-named as the person on whom such process or a true copy thereof shall be served.

RHODE ISLAND Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Rhode Island under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 450 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Suite 7A, East Providence, RI 02914 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

SOUTH DAKOTA Service of Process Clause

Any cause of action against the Company arising in South Dakota under this policy shall be brought in the circuit court for the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of legal process against the Company may be made in any such action by service upon the Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota and his successors in office. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 319 South Coteau Street, Pierre, SD 57501 as the person to whom the Director shall mail a copy of the process. The copy shall be mailed by prepaid registered or certified mail with return receipt requested. The Company shall have thirty days from the date of service upon the Director within which to plead, answer, or otherwise defend the action.

TENNESSEE Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Tennessee, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 800 S. Gay Street, Suite 2021, Knoxville, TN 37929-9710 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

TEXAS Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner of the State of Texas as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1999 Bryan Street, Suite 900, Dallas, TX 75201 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

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UTAH Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the Commissioner and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah, as its agent upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1108 East South Union Avenue, Midvale, UT 84047 as the person to whom the Commissioner or Lieutenant Governor shall mail process.

VIRGINIA Service of Process Clause

The Company hereby designates the clerk of the Commission of the State of Virginia as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 4701 Cox Road, Suite 285, Glen Allen, VA 23060 as the person to whom the clerk of the Commission shall mail process.

WASHINGTON Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Washington under this contract, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Washington by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates C T Corporation System, Inc., 505 Union Ave. S.E., Suite 120, Olympia, WA 98501 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

WEST VIRGINIA Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in West Virginia under this policy, the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Secretary of State by the clerk of the court in which the action is brought. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 5400 D Big Tyler Road, Charleston, WV 25313 as the person to whom the Secretary of State shall mail process.

WISCONSIN Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action arising in Wisconsin under this policy the Company may be sued in the court of the county in which the cause of action arose. Service of process against the Company may be made in such action by service upon the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Wisconsin. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 8020 Excelsior Drive, Suite 200, Madison, WI 53717 as the person to whom the Commissioner shall mail process.

WYOMING Service of Process Clause

Upon any cause of action under this policy, the Company may be sued in the district court of the county in which the cause of action arose. The Company appoints the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Wyoming, as its attorney for acceptance of the service of all legal process issued in this state in any action or proceeding arising out of this policy. Service of process upon the Commissioner shall be lawful service upon the Company. The Company further designates CT Corporation System, 1712 Pioneer Avenue, Suite 120, Cheyenne, WY 82001 as the person to whom the Commissioner is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

All other terms and conditions of this policy remain unchanged.

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STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY AMENDATORY

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY STEADFAST INSURANCE COMPANY, THE FOLLOWING CLAUSES SHALL APPLY:

Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause

1. The following Service Of Suit and In Witness Clause applies to all policies written in Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia or Wyoming:

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In the event of failure of the Company to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company, at the request of the "Insured", will submit to the jurisdiction of a court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this condition constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any court of competent jurisdiction in the United States to remove an action to a United States District Court or to seek a transfer of a case to another court as permitted by the laws of the United States or any state in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon General Counsel, Law Department, Steadfast Insurance Company, 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, or his or her representative, and that in any suit instituted against the Company upon this policy, the Company will abide by the final decision of such court or of any appellate court in the event of an appeal.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory, or district of the United States which makes provisions therefore, the Company hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner, or Director of Insurance, or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his or her successor or successors in office, as its true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the "Insured" or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this policy of insurance and hereby designates the above named General Counsel as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

In Witness Clause

In return for the payment of premium, and subject to the terms of the policy, the Company agrees with the "Insured" to provide insurance as stated in this policy. This policy shall not be valid unless signed by the duly authorized Representative of the Company.

In Witness Whereof, this Company has executed and attested these presents, and where required by law, has caused this policy to be signed by its duly authorized Representative.

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OFAC Notice and Sanction Limitation Clauses

Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC") Regulations

Advisory notice to policyholders regarding the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC") regulations

No coverage is provided by this policyholder notice nor can it be construed to replace any provisions of your policy. You should read your policy and review your declarations page for complete information on the coverages you are provided.

This notice provides information concerning possible impact on your insurance coverage due to directives issued by the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC").

Please read this Notice carefully.

OFAC administers and enforces sanctions policy based on Presidential declarations of "national emergency". OFAC has identified and listed numerous:

- Foreign agents;
- Front organizations;
- Terrorists:
- Terrorist organizations; and
- Narcotics traffickers:

as "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons." This list can be located on the United States Treasury's web site - http://www.treasury.gov/about/organizational-structure/offices/Pages/Office-of-Foreign-Assets-Control.aspx.

In accordance with OFAC regulations, if it is determined that you or any other insured, or any person or entity claiming the benefits of this insurance has violated U.S. sanctions law or is a Specially Designated National and Blocked Person, as identified by OFAC, this insurance will be considered a blocked or frozen contract and all provisions of this insurance are immediately subject to OFAC restrictions. When an insurance policy is considered to be such a blocked or frozen contract, no payments or premium refunds may be made without authorization from OFAC. Other limitations on premiums and payments also apply.

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Sanction Limitation and Exclusion Clause

No (re)insurer shall be deemed to provide cover and no (re)insurer shall be liable to pay any claim or provide any benefit hereunder to the extent that the provision of such cover, payment of such claim or provision of such benefit would expose that (re)insurer to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom or United States of America.

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VARIOUS COMPANIES' SERVICE OF SUIT CLAUSES

WITH RESPECT TO THE COVERAGE PROVIDED BY:

GENERAL SECURITY INDEMNITY COMPANY OF ARIZONA; OR INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANNOVER SE; OR LEXINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY; OR UNITED SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY; OR PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICABLE CLAUSES SHALL APPLY TO THE INDICATED COMPANY(IES), PROVIDED THAT COMPANY IS PARTICIPATING ON THE POLICY:

Service of Suit Clause

It is agreed that in the event of the failure of the Company hereon to pay any amount claimed to be due hereunder, the Company hereon, at the request of the Insured (or Reinsured), will submit to the jurisdiction of a Court of competent jurisdiction within the United States. Nothing in this Clause constitutes or should be understood to constitute a waiver of the Company's rights to commence an action in any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United States, to remove an action to a United States District Court, or to seek a transfer of a case to another Court as permitted by the laws of the United States or of any State in the United States. It is further agreed that service of process in such suit may be made upon:

General Security Indemnity Company of Arizona

One Seaport Plaza 199 Water Street New York, NY 10038-3526 Attn.: Henry Klecan, CEO

With copy to:
One Seaport Plaza
199 Water Street
New York, NY 10038-3526
Attn.: Maxine Verne, General Legal Counsel,

International Insurance Company of Hannover SE

Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP 1177 Avenue of the Americas, 41st Floor New York, NY 10036-2714 Attn.: Andrea Best

Lexington Insurance Company

100 Summer Street Boston, MA 02110 Facsimile: (866) 753-8411

Attn.: Division Executive, Commercial Property

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With copies to:

AIG Property Casualty U.S. and 175 Water Street - 18th Floor New York, NY 10038

Facsimile: (212) 458-7080 Attn.: General Counsel Lexington Insurance Company 100 Summer Street, #2000 Boston, MA 02110 Facsimile: (617) 772-4588

Attn.: General Counsel

United Specialty Insurance Company

1900 L. Don Dodson Drive Bedford, Texas 76021 Attn.: Terry L. Ledbetter

and that in any suit instituted against any one of them upon this contract, the Company will abide by the final decision of such Court or of any Appellate Court in the event of an appeal.

The above-named are authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of the Company in any such suit and/or upon the request of the Insured (or Reinsured) to have a written undertaking to the Insured (or Reinsured) that they will enter a general appearance upon the Company's behalf in the event such a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefore, the Company hereon hereby designates the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance or other officer specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Insured (or Reinsured) or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance (or reinsurance), and hereby designate the above-named person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

AS RESPECTS PRINCETON EXCESS AND SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE COMPANY ONLY:

Service of Process Clause

We designate the Superintendent of Insurance, Insurance Commissioner, Director of Insurance, or other officer specified by law, pursuant to the laws of the State where this policy is delivered, as our true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted in the State in which this policy is delivered, by, or on behalf of, the Named Insured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this Policy. We designate the General Counsel of The Princeton Excess and Surplus Lines Insurance Company, 555 College Road East, Princeton, New Jersey 08543 as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or true copy thereof.

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CyberOne Coverage Form

Various provisions in this policy restrict coverage. Read the entire policy carefully to determine rights, duties and what is and is not covered.

Throughout this policy the words "you" and "your" refer to the First Named Insured shown in the Declarations. The words "we", "us" and "our" refer to the Company providing this insurance.

Some words and phrases that appear in bold face or quotation marks have special meaning. Refer to Definitions.

Coverage under this Coverage Form is subject to the following SCHEDULE:

SECTION 1 - COMPUTER ATTACK

Computer Attack Limit

\$100,000 Annual Aggregate

Sublimits

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Data Re-creation \$5,000 Loss of Business \$10,000 Public Relations \$5,000

Per Occurrence

Computer Attack Deductible

\$10,000

Per Occurrence

SECTION 2 - NETWORK SECURITY LIABILITY

Network Security Liability Limit

\$100,000

Annual Aggregate

Network Security Liability Deductible \$10,000

Per Occurrence

Network Security Liability Optional Coverage 3rd Party Business Information Included

SECTION 1 - COMPUTER ATTACK

A. COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS - SECTION 1

This Computer Attack coverage applies only if all of the following conditions are met:

- 1. There has been a "computer attack"; and
- 2. Such "computer attack" is first discovered by you during the policy period for which this Coverage Form is applicable; and
- 3. Such "computer attack" is reported to us as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date it is first discovered by you.

B. COVERAGE - SECTION 1

If all three of the conditions listed above in COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS – SECTION 1 have been met, then we will provide you the following coverages for loss directly arising from such "computer attack".

1. Data Restoration

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "data restoration costs".

2. Data Re-creation

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "data re-creation costs".

3. System Restoration

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We will pay your necessary and reasonable "system restoration costs".

4. Loss of Business

We will pay your actual "business income loss" and your necessary and reasonable "extra expenses".

5. Public Relations

If you suffer a covered "business income loss", we will pay for the services of a professional public relations firm to assist you in communicating your response to the "computer attack" to the media, the public and your customers, clients or members.

C. LIMITS - SECTION 1

The most we will pay under Computer Attack coverage is the Computer Attack Limit indicated in the SCHEDULE. If no limit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Computer Attack coverage will be considered to have a limit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The most we will pay under Data Re-creation coverage for loss (including "business income loss" and "extra expense" related to data re-creation activities) arising from any one "computer attack" is the Data Re-creation Sublimit indicated in the SCHEDULE. This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Computer Attack Limit. If no sublimit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Data Re-creation coverage will be considered to have a sublimit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The most we will pay under Loss of Business coverage for loss arising from any one "computer attack" is the Loss of Business Sublimit indicated in the SCHEDULE. This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Computer Attack Limit. If no sublimit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Loss of Business coverage will be considered to have a sublimit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The most we will pay under Public Relations coverage for loss arising from any one "computer attack" is the Public Relations Sublimit indicated in the SCHEDULE. This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Computer Attack Limit. If no sublimit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Public Relations coverage will be considered to have a sublimit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided.

The Computer Attack Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for the total of all loss covered under Section 1 arising out of all "computer attack" events which are first discovered by you during the present annual policy period. This limit applies regardless of the number of "computer attack" events occurring during that period.

A "computer attack" may be first discovered by you in one policy period but it may cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "computer attack" will be subject to the Computer Attack Limit applicable to the policy period when the "computer attack" was first discovered by you.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 1

The Computer Attack coverage is subject to the Computer Attack Deductible indicated in the SCHEDULE for this Coverage Form. You shall be responsible for the applicable deductible amount as respects loss arising from each "computer attack" covered under this Coverage Form.

SECTION 2 - NETWORK SECURITY LIABILITY

A. COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS - SECTION 2

This Network Security Liability coverage applies only if all of the following conditions are met:

- 1. You first receive notice of a "network security liability suit" during the policy period for which this Coverage Form is applicable or any Extended Reporting Periods; and
- 2. Such "network security liability suit" is reported to us as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date it is first received by you.

B. COVERAGE - SECTION 2

If both of the conditions listed above in COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS - SECTION 2 have been met, then we will provide you the following coverages for loss directly arising from such "network security liability suit".

1. Defense

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "network security liability defense costs".

2. Settlement Costs

We will pay your necessary and reasonable "network security liability settlement costs".

C. LIMITS - SECTION 2

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Except for post-judgment interest, the most we will pay under Network Security Liability coverage is the Network Security Liability Limit indicated in the SCHEDULE. If no limit is shown or is shown as Excluded in the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form, then the Network Security Liability coverage will be considered to have a limit of \$0 and no coverage will be provided,

The Network Security Liability Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for the total of all loss covered under Section 2 (other than post-judgment interest) arising out of all "network security liability suits" of which you first receive notice during the present annual policy period or any Extended Reporting Periods. This limit applies regardless of the number of "network security liability suits" of which you first receive notice during that period.

You may first receive notice of a "network security liability suit" in one policy period but it may cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "network security liability suit" (other than post-judgment interest) will be subject to the Network Security Liability Limit applicable to the policy period when notice of the "network security liability suit" was first received by you.

The Network Security Liability Limit for the Extended Reporting Periods (if applicable) shall be part of, and not in addition to, the Network Security Liability Limit for the immediately preceding policy period.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 2

The Network Security Liability coverage is subject to the Network Security Liability Deductible indicated in the SCHEDULE for this Coverage Form. You shall be responsible for the applicable deductible amount as respects loss arising from each "network security liability suit" covered under this Coverage Form.

EXCLUSIONS, ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS AND DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL SECTIONS

A. EXCLUSIONS

We will not pay for costs or loss based upon, arising out of or resulting from the following:

- 1. Loss to the internet, an internet service provider, or any computer or computer system that is not owned or leased by you and operated under your control.
- 2. Costs to research or correct any deficiency.
- 3. Any fines or penalties.
- Any criminal investigations or proceedings.
- 5. Any threat, extortion or blackmail. This includes, but is not limited to, ransom payments and private security
- 6. Your intentional or willful complicity in a covered loss event or your "reckless disregard" for the security of your computer system or data.
- 7. Any criminal, fraudulent or dishonest act, error or omission, or any intentional or knowing violation of the law by you.
- 8. Any "computer attack" occurring prior to the first inception of this CyberOne Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Coverage Form.
- 9. That part of any "network security liability suit" seeking any non-monetary relief.
- 10. Any "network security liability suit" arising from a propagation of malware, denial of service attack, or if applicable, loss, release or disclosure of business data that occurred prior to the first inception of this Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Coverage Form.
- 11. The propagation or forwarding of malware, including viruses, worms, Trojans, spyware and keyloggers in connection with hardware or software created, produced or modified by you for sale, lease or license to third parties.
- 12. Seizure or destruction of property by order of governmental authority.
- 13. Nuclear reaction or radiation or radioactive contamination, however caused.
- 14. War and military action including any of the following and any consequence of any of the following:
 - a. War, including undeclared or civil war;
 - b. Warlike action by a military force, including action in hindering or defending against an actual or expected attack, by any government, sovereign or other authority using military personnel or other agents; or
 - c. Insurrection, rebellion, revolution, usurped power, or action taken by governmental authority in hindering or defending against any of these.
- 15. Bodily harm or injury, sickness, disease, disability, humiliation, shock, fright, mental anguish or mental injury,

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including care, loss of services or death resulting from any of these at any time.

- 16. Physical injury to or destruction of tangible property including all resulting loss of use; or loss of use of tangible property that is not physically injured.
- 17. Failure or interruption of or damage to the internet or internet service provider.

B. CONDITIONS

The following conditions apply in addition to the Common Policy Conditions.

1. Abandonment

There can be no abandonment of any property to us.

2. Concealment or Fraud

This policy is void if you have intentionally concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance relating to this insurance.

3. Coverage Territory

The "computer attack" must involve a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or leased by you and operated under your control within the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and Puerto Rico.

The "network security liability suit" must be brought in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, Puerto Rico or Canada.

4. Due Diligence

You agree to use due diligence to prevent and mitigate costs covered under this Coverage Form. This includes, but is not limited to, complying with reasonable and industry-accepted protocols for:

- a. Providing and maintaining appropriate computer and internet security; and
- b. Maintaining and updating at appropriate intervals backups of computer data.

5. Duties in the Event of a "Computer Attack"

You must see that the following are done in the event of a "computer attack":

- a. Notify the police if a law may have been broken.
- b. Give us prompt notice of the "computer attack". As noted in Section 1 A.3., you must report the "computer attack" to us within 60 days of the date you first discover it.
- c. As soon as possible, give us a description of how, when and where the "computer attack" occurred.
- d. Take all reasonable steps to protect computers or other electronic hardware. If feasible, preserve evidence of the "computer attack".
- e. Permit us to inspect the property and records proving the "computer attack".
- f. If requested, permit us to question you under oath at such times as may be reasonably required about any matter relating to this insurance or your claim, including your books and records. In such event, your answers must be signed.
- g. Send us a signed, sworn statement containing the information we request to investigate the claim. You must do this within 60 days after our request. We will supply you with the necessary forms.
- h. Cooperate with us in the investigation or settlement of the claim.

6. Duties in the Event of a "Network Security Liability Suit"

- a. If a "network security liability suit" is brought against you, you must:
 - 1. Immediately record the specifics of the "network security liability suit" and the date received; and
 - 2. Provide us with written notice, as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date the "network security liability suit" is first received by you.
 - 3. Immediately send us copies of any demands, notices, summonses or legal papers received in connection with the "network security liability suit";
 - 4. Authorize us to obtain records and other information;
 - 5. Cooperate with us in the investigation, settlement or defense of the "network security liability suit";
 - 6. Assist us, upon our request, in the enforcement of any right against any person or organization which may be liable to you because of loss to which this insurance may also apply; and
 - 7. Not take any action, or fail to take any required action, that prejudices your rights or our rights with respect to such "network security liability suit".

7. Extended Reporting Periods

- a. You shall have the right to the Extended Reporting Periods described in this section, in the event that:
 - 1. You or we cancel this CyberOne coverage;

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- 2. You or we refuse to renew this CyberOne coverage; or
- We renew this CyberOne coverage on an other than a claims-made basis or with a retroactive date later than the date of the first inception of this Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Coverage Form;
- b. If an event as specified in Paragraph a. has occurred, you shall have the right to the following:
 - An Automatic Extended Reporting Period of 30 days after the effective date of cancellation or nonrenewal
 at no additional premium in which to give to us written notice of a "network security liability suit" of which
 you first receive notice during said Automatic Extended Reporting Period for any propagation of malware,
 denial of service attack, or if applicable, loss, release or disclosure of business data occurring before the
 end of the coverage period for this CyberOne coverage and which is otherwise covered by this CyberOne
 coverage; and
 - 2. Upon payment of an additional premium of 100% of the full annual premium applicable to this CyberOne coverage, a Supplemental Extended Reporting Period of 1 year immediately following the effective date of cancellation or nonrenewal in which to give to us written notice of a "network security liability suit" of which you first receive notice during said Supplemental Extended Reporting Period for any propagation of malware, denial of service attack, or if applicable, loss, release or disclosure of business data occurring before the end of the coverage period for this CyberOne coverage and which is otherwise covered by this CyberOne coverage.

To obtain the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period, you must request it in writing and pay the additional premium due, within 30 days of the effective date of cancellation or nonrenewal. The additional premium for the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period shall be fully earned at the inception of the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period. If we do not receive the written request as required, you may not exercise this right at a later date.

This insurance, provided during the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period, is excess over any other valid and collectible insurance that begins or continues in effect after the Supplemental Extended Reporting Period becomes effective, whether the other insurance applies on a primary, excess, contingent, or any other basis.

8. Legal Action Against Us

No one may bring a legal action against us under this insurance unless:

- a. There has been full compliance with all of the terms of this insurance; and
- b. The actions is brought within 2 years after the date the "computer attack" is first discovered by you, or the date on which you first receive notice of a "network security liability suit".

9. Network Security Liability Defense

- a. We shall have the right and the duty to assume the defense of any applicable "network security liability suit" against you. You shall give us such information and cooperation as we may reasonably require.
- b. You shall not admit liability for or settle any "network security liability suit" or incur any defense costs without our prior written consent.
- c. If you refuse to consent to any settlement recommended by us and acceptable to the claimant, we may then withdraw from your defense by tendering control of the defense to you. From that point forward, you shall, at your own expense, negotiate or defend such "network security liability suit" independently of us. Our liability shall not exceed the amount for which the claim or suit could have been settled if such recommendation was consented to, plus defense costs incurred by us, and defense costs incurred by you with our written consent, prior to the date of such refusal.
- d. We shall not be obligated to pay any damages or defense costs, or to defend or continue to defend any "network security liability suit", after the Network Security Liability Limit has been exhausted.
- e. We shall pay all interest on that amount of any judgment within the Network Security Liability Limit which accrues:
 - 1. After entry of judgment; and
 - 2. Before we pay, offer to pay or deposit in court that part of the judgment within the Network Security Liability Limit or, in any case, before we pay or offer to pay the entire Network Security Liability Limit.

These interest payments shall be in addition to and not part of the Network Security Liability Limit.

10. Prompt Payment of Claims

- a. Receipt of Notice of Claim
 - 1. Not later than the 15th day after the date we receive notice of a claim, we will:

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- a) acknowledge receipt of the claim;
- b) commence any investigation of the claim; and
- 2. request from you all items, statements, and forms that we reasonably believe, at that time, will be required from you.
- 3. We may make additional requests for information if during the investigation of the claim the additional requests are necessary.
- 4. If the acknowledgment of receipt of a claim is not made in writing, we will make a record of the date, manner, and content of the acknowledgment.

b. Notice of Acceptance or Rejection of Claim

- 1. Except as provided by Subsection 4, we will notify you in writing of the acceptance or rejection of a claim not later than the 15th business day after the date we receive all items, statements, and forms required by us to secure final proof of loss.
- 2. If we reject the claim, the notice required by Subsection a. must state the reasons for the rejection.
- 3. If we are unable to accept or reject the claim within the period specified by Subsection a., we, within that same period, will notify you of the reasons that we need additional time. We will accept or reject the claim not later than the 45th day after the date we notify you under this subsection.

c. Payment of Claim

- 1. Except as otherwise provided by this section, if we notify you under Subsection 2 that we will pay a claim or part of a claim, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date notice is made.
- 2. If payment of the claim or part of the claim is conditioned on the performance of an act by you, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date the act is performed.

d. Delay in Payment of Claim

- Except as otherwise provided, if we after receiving all items, statements, and forms reasonably requested
 and required under Subsection 1, delay payment of the claim for a period exceeding the period specified
 by applicable statutes or, if other statutes do not specify a period, for more than 60 days, we will pay
 damages and other items as provided by Texas Insurance Code Section 542.060
- 2. Subsection a, does not apply in a case in which it is found as a result of arbitration or litigation that a claim received by us is invalid and should not be paid by us.

11. Other Data Coverage in This Policy

Some elements of this CyberOne coverage may also be covered elsewhere under this policy. If so, this CyberOne coverage will apply as excess, additional coverage. If loss payment has been made elsewhere under the policy for the same event, the amount of such payment will count towards the deductible that applies to this CyberOne coverage.

12. Policy Period

This policy applies only to "computer attacks" that are first discovered by you during the policy period shown in the Declarations, and to "network security liability suits" of which you first receive notice during the policy period shown in the Declarations. The policy period begins and ends at 12:01 a.m., Standard Time, at your address shown in the Declarations.

13. Services

The following conditions apply as respects any services provided to you by any service firm provided or paid for in whole or in part under this Coverage Form:

- a. The effectiveness of such services depends on your cooperation and assistance,
- b. We do not warrant or guarantee that the services will end or eliminate all problems associated with the covered events.

C. DEFINITIONS

With respect to the provisions of this Coverage Form only, the following definitions are added:

- 1. "Business Income Loss" means the sum of the:
 - a. Net income (net profit or loss before income taxes) that would have been earned or incurred; and
 - b. Continuing normal and necessary operating expenses incurred, including employee payroll, actually lost by you during the "period of restoration".
- 2. "Computer Attack" means one of the following involving a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or AR CYB TX 12 14 © 2013 Page 6 of 8

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leased by you and operated under your control:

- Unauthorized Access meaning the gaining of access to your computer system by an unauthorized person or persons; or
- b. Malware Attack meaning damage to your computer system or data arising from malicious code, including viruses, worms, Trojans, spyware and keyloggers. This does not mean damage from shortcomings or mistakes in legitimate electronic code or damage from code installed on your computer system during the manufacturing process.
- c. Denial of Service Attack meaning a deliberate act to prevent third parties from gaining access to your computer system through the internet in a manner in which they are legally entitled.

3. "Data Re-creation Costs"

- a. "Data re-creation costs" means the costs of an outside professional firm hired by you to research, re-create and replace data that has been lost or corrupted and for which there is no electronic source available or where the electronic source does not have the same or similar functionality to the data that has been lost or corrupted.
- b. "Data re-creation costs" also means your actual "business income loss" and your necessary and reasonable "extra expenses" arising from the lack of the lost or corrupted data during the time required to research, recreate and replace such data.
- c. "Data re-creation costs" does not mean costs to research, re-create or replace;
 - 1) Software programs or operating systems that are not commercially available; or
 - 2) Data that is obsolete, unnecessary or useless to you.

4. "Data Restoration Costs"

- a. "Data restoration costs" means the costs of an outside professional firm hired by you to replace electronic data that has been lost or corrupted. In order to be considered "data restoration costs," such replacement must be from one or more electronic sources with the same or similar functionality to the data that has been lost or corrupted.
- b. "Data restoration costs" does not mean costs to research, restore or replace;
 - 1) Software programs or operating systems that are not commercially available; or
 - 2) Data that is obsolete, unnecessary or useless to you.
- 5. "Extra Expense" means the additional cost you incur to operate your business during the "period of restoration" over and above the cost that you normally would have incurred to operate your business during the same period had no "computer attack" occurred.
- 6. "Network Security Liability Defense Costs"
 - a. "Network security liability defense costs" means reasonable and necessary expenses resulting solely from the investigation, defense and appeal of any "network security liability suit" against you. Such expenses may be incurred by us. Such expenses may include premiums for any appeal bond, attachment bond or similar bond. However, we have no obligation to apply for or furnish such bond.
 - b. "Network security liability defense costs" does not mean your salaries or your loss of earnings,
- 7. "Network Security Liability Settlement Costs"
 - a. "Network security liability settlement costs" means the following, when they arise from a "network security liability suit":
 - 1) Damages, judgments or settlements; and
 - 2) Defense costs added to that part of any judgment paid by us, when such defense costs are awarded by law or court order; and
 - 3) Pre-judgment interest on that part of any judgment paid by us.
 - b. "Network security liability settlement costs" does not mean:
 - 1) Civil or criminal fines or penalties imposed by law;
 - 2) Punitive or exemplary damages;
 - 3) The multiplied portion of multiplied damages;
 - 4) Taxes: or
 - 5) Matters which may be deemed uninsurable under the applicable law.
- 8. "Network Security Liability Suit"

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proceeding must be brought in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, Puerto Rico or Canada. Such proceeding must be based on an allegation that a negligent security failure or weakness with respect to a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or leased by you and operated under your control allowed one or more of the following to happen:

- 1) The unintended propagation or forwarding of malware, including viruses, worms, Trojans, spyware and keyloggers. Malware does not include shortcomings or mistakes in legitimate electronic code.
- 2) The unintended abetting of a denial of service attack against one or more other systems.
- b. If the 3rd Party Business Information line under Network Security Liability Optional Coverage on the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form is marked as Included, then "network security liability suit" also means a civil proceeding against you in which damages are alleged which is brought in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, Puerto Rico or Canada and which is based on an allegation that a negligent security failure or weakness with respect to a computer or other electronic hardware that is owned or leased by you and operated under your control allowed the loss, release or disclosure of business data that is owned by or proprietary to a third party. This does not include personally identifying information or other information that is sensitive or personal to individuals. If the 3rd Party Business Information line under Network Security Liability Optional Coverage on the SCHEDULE at the top of this Coverage Form is marked as Excluded or is blank, then "network security liability suit" does not include such suits.
- c. "Network security liability suit" includes the following:
 - 1) An arbitration or alternative dispute resolution proceeding that you are required to submit to or which we agree you should submit to; or
 - A written demand for money, when such demand could reasonably result in a civil proceeding as described in this definition.
- d. "Network security liability suit" does not mean any demand or action alleging or arising from property damage or bodily injury.
- e. "Network security liability suit" does not mean any demand or action brought by or on behalf of someone who is:
 - 1) Your director or officer;
 - Your owner or part-owner; or
 - A holder of your securities;

in their capacity as such, whether directly, derivatively, or by class action.

- 9. "Period of Restoration" means the period of time that begins at the time that the "computer attack" is discovered by you and continues until the earlier of:
 - The date that all data restoration, data re-creation and system restoration directly related to the "computer attack" has been completed; or
 - b. The date on which such data restoration, data re-creation and system restoration could have been completed with the exercise of due diligence and dispatch.
- 10. "Reckless Disregard" means that:
 - a. The action or procedure is deliberate; and
 - b. The action or procedure entails either a certainty or a high probability of causing or allowing a "computer attack" or a "network security liability suit".
- 11. "System Restoration Costs"
 - a. "System restoration costs" means the costs of an outside professional firm hired by you to do any of the following in order to restore your computer system to its pre- "computer attack" level of functionality:
 - 1) Replace or reinstall computer software programs;
 - 2) Remove any malicious code; and
 - 3) Configure or correct the configuration of your computer system.
 - b. "System restoration costs" does not mean:
 - 1) Costs to increase the speed, capacity or utility of your computer system;
 - Labor of your employees;
 - 3) Any costs in excess of the actual cash value of your computer system; or
 - 4) Costs to repair or replace hardware.

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Various provisions in this policy restrict coverage. Read the entire policy carefully to determine rights, duties and what is and is not covered.

Throughout this policy the words "you" and "your" refer to the First Named Insured shown in the Declarations. The words "we", "us" and "our" refer to the Company providing this insurance.

Other words and phrases that appear in quotation marks have special meaning. Refer to the Definitions section.

The terms and conditions of the Cancellation Clause of the Common Policy Conditions and any amendment to such terms incorporated by endorsement are hereby incorporated herein and shall apply to coverage as is afforded by this Data Compromise Coverage, unless specifically stated otherwise in an endorsement attached hereto.

SCHEDULE

SECTION 1 - RESPONSE EXPENSES		
Data Compromise		
Response Expenses Limit:	\$50,000	Annual Aggregate
Sublimits		
Named Malware (Section 1):	\$50,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Forensic IT Review:	\$5,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Legal Review:	\$5,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
PR Services:	\$5,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Response Expense Deductible:	\$2,500	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
SECTION 2 - DEFENSE AND LIABILITY		
Data Compromise		
Defense and Liability Limit:	\$50,000	Annual Aggregate
Sublimits		
Named Malware (Section 2):	\$50,000	Any One "Personal Data Compromise"
Defense and Liability Deductible	\$2,500	Each "Data Compromise Suit"

The following is added as an Additional Coverage:

SECTION 1 - RESPONSE EXPENSES

A. DATA COMPROMISE COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS

Coverage under this Data Compromise Coverage Form applies only if all of the following conditions are met:

- 1. There has been a "personal data compromise"; and
- 2. Such "personal data compromise" is first discovered by you during the policy period for which this Data Compromise Coverage Form is applicable; and
- 3. Such "personal data compromise" is reported to us within 90 days after the date it is first discovered by you.

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B. COVERAGE – SECTION 1

If all three of the conditions listed above in DATA COMPROMISE – COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS have been met, then we will provide coverage for the following expenses when they arise directly from the covered cause of loss and are necessary and reasonable. Coverages 4 and 5 apply only if there has been a notification of the "personal data compromise" to "affected individuals" as covered under coverage 3.

1. Forensic IT Review

Professional information technologies review if needed to determine, within the constraints of what is possible and reasonable, the nature and extent of the "personal data compromise" and the number and identities of the "affected individuals".

This does not include costs to analyze, research or determine any of the following:

- a. Vulnerabilities in systems, procedures or physical security;
- b. Compliance with PCI or other industry security standards; or
- c. The nature or extent of loss or damage to data that is not "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information".

If there is reasonable cause to suspect that a covered "personal data compromise" may have occurred, we will pay for costs covered under Forensic IT Review, even if it is eventually determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise". However, once it is determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise", we will not pay for any further costs.

2. Legal Review

Professional legal counsel review of the "personal data compromise" and how you should best respond to it.

If there is reasonable cause to suspect that a covered "personal data compromise" may have occurred, we will pay for costs covered under Legal Review, even if it is eventually determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise". However, once it is determined that there was no covered "personal data compromise", we will not pay for any further costs.

3. Notification to Affected Individuals

We will pay your necessary and reasonable costs to provide notification of the "personal data compromise" to "affected individuals".

4. Services to Affected Individuals

We will pay your necessary and reasonable costs to provide the following services to "affected individuals".

- a. The following services apply to any "personal data compromise",
 - (1) Informational Materials

A packet of loss prevention and customer support information.

(2) Help Line

A toll-free telephone line for "affected individuals" with questions about the "personal data compromise". Where applicable, the line can also be used to request additional services as listed in b. 1) and 2).

- b. The following additional services apply to "personal data compromise" events involving "personally identifying information".
 - (1) Credit Report and Monitoring

A credit report and an electronic service automatically monitoring for activities affecting an individual's credit records. This service is subject to the "affected individual" enrolling for this service with the designated service provider.

(2) Identity Restoration Case Management

As respects any "affected individual" who is or appears to be a victim of "identity theft" that may reasonably have arisen from the "personal data compromise", the services of an identity restoration professional who will assist that "affected individual" through the process of correcting credit and other records and, within the constraints of what is possible and reasonable, restoring control over his or her personal identity.

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5. PR Services

Professional public relations firm review of and response to the potential impact of the "personal data compromise" on your business relationships.

This includes costs to implement public relations recommendations of such firm. This may include advertising and special promotions designed to retain your relationship with "affected individuals". However, we will not pay for promotions:

- a. Provided to any of your directors or employees; or;
- b. Costing more than \$25 per "affected individual".

C. LIMITS - SECTION 1

The most we will pay under Response Expenses coverage is the Response Expenses Limit indicated in the SCHEDULE above.

The Data Compromise Response Expenses Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for the total of all loss covered under Section 1 arising out of all "personal data compromise" events which are first discovered by you during the present annual policy period. This limit applies regardless of the number of "personal data compromise" events discovered by you during that period.

A "personal data compromise" may be first discovered by you in one policy period but cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "personal data compromise" will be subject to the Response Expenses Limit applicable to the policy period when the "personal data compromise" was first discovered by you.

The most we will pay under Response Expenses coverage for loss arising from any "malware-related compromise" is the Named Malware (Sec. 1) sublimit indicated in the Data Compromise schedule above. For the purpose of the Named Malware (Sec. 1) sublimit, all "malware-related compromises" that are caused, enabled or abetted by the same virus or other malicious code are considered to be a single "personal data compromise". This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to the Response Expenses Limit.

The most we will pay under Forensic IT Review, Legal Review and PR Services coverages for loss arising from any one "personal data compromise" is the applicable sublimit for each of those coverages indicated in the Data Compromise schedule above. These sublimits are part of, and not in addition to, the Data Compromise Response Expenses Limit. PR Services coverage is also subject to a limit per "affected individual" as described in 5. PR Services.

Coverage for Services to "affected individuals" is limited to costs to provide such services for a period of up to one year from the date of the notification to the "affected individuals". Notwithstanding, coverage for Identity Restoration Case Management services initiated within such one year period may continue for a period of up to one year from the date such Identity Restoration Case Management services are initiated.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 1

Response Expenses coverage is subject to the Response Expenses Deductible indicated in the Data Compromise schedule above. You shall be responsible for such deductible amount as respects each "personal data compromise" covered under this Coverage Form.

The following is added as an Additional Coverage:

SECTION 2 - DEFENSE AND LIABILITY

A. DEFENSE AND LIABILITY COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS

Coverage under this Data Compromise Coverage Form applies only if all three of the conditions in DATA COMPROMISE - COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS are met.

Only with regard to Section 2 – Defense and Liability coverage, the following conditions must also be met:

- 1. You have provided notifications and services to "affected individuals" in consultation with us pursuant to Response Expenses coverage; and
- 2. You receive notice of a "data compromise suit" brought by one or more "affected individuals" or by a governmental entity on behalf of one or more "affected individuals"; and

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3. Notice of such "data compromise suit" is received by you within two years of the date that the "affected individuals" are notified of the "personal data compromise"; and

4. Such "data compromise suit" is reported to us as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date it is first received by you.

B. COVERAGE - SECTION 2

If all of the conditions listed above in DEFENSE AND LIABILITY – COVERED CAUSE OF LOSS have been met, then we will provide coverage for "data compromise defense costs" and "data compromise liability" directly arising from the covered cause of loss.

C. LIMITS - SECTION 2

The most we will pay under Defense and Liability coverage (other than post-judgment interest) is the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit indicated in the schedule above.

The Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit is an annual aggregate limit. This amount is the most we will pay for all loss covered under Section 2 (other than post-judgment interest) arising out of all "personal data compromise" events which are first discovered by you during the present annual policy period. This limit applies regardless of the number of "personal data compromise" events occurring during that period.

A "personal data compromise" may be first discovered by you in one policy period but cause covered costs in one or more subsequent policy periods. If so, all covered costs arising from such "personal data compromise" (other than post-judgment interest) will be subject to the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit applicable to the policy period when the "personal data compromise" was first discovered by you.

The most we will pay under Defense and Liability coverage for loss arising from any "malware-related compromise" is the Named Malware (Sec. 2) sublimit indicated for this coverage. For the purpose of the Named Malware (Sec. 2) sublimit, all "malware-related compromises" that are caused, enabled or abetted by the same virus or other malicious code are considered to be a single "personal data compromise". This sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Defense and Liability Limit.

D. DEDUCTIBLE - SECTION 2

Defense and Liability coverage is subject to the Defense and Liability Deductible indicated in the schedule above. You shall be responsible for such deductible amount as respects each "data compromise suit" covered under this Coverage Form.

SECTION 3 -- EXCLUSIONS, ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS AND DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO BOTH SECTION 1 AND SECTION 2

A. EXCLUSIONS

The following additional exclusions apply to this coverage:

We will not pay for costs or loss based upon, arising out of or resulting from the following:

- 1. Your intentional or willful complicity in a "personal data compromise."
- 2. Any criminal, fraudulent or dishonest act, error or omission, or any intentional or knowing violation of the law by you.
- 3. Any "personal data compromise" occurring prior to the first inception of this Data Compromise Coverage Form or any coverage substantially similar to that described in this Form.
- 4. Costs to research or correct any deficiency. This includes, but is not limited to, any deficiency in your systems, procedures or physical security that may have contributed to a "personal data compromise".
- 5. Any fines or penalties. This includes, but is not limited to, fees or surcharges from affected financial institutions.
- Any criminal investigations or proceedings.
- 7. Any extortion or blackmail. This includes, but is not limited to, ransom payments and private security assistance.
- 8. Any "personal data compromise" involving data that is being transmitted electronically, unless such data is encrypted to protect the security of the transmission.
- 9. Your reckless disregard for the security of "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" in your care, custody or control.

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- 10. That part of any "data compromise suit" seeking any non-monetary relief.
- 11. Seizure or destruction of property by order of governmental authority.
- 12. Nuclear reaction or radiation or radioactive contamination, however caused.
- 13. War and military action including any of the following and any consequence of any of the following:
 - a. War, including undeclared or civil war;
 - b. Warlike action by a military force, including action in hindering or defending against an actual or expected attack, by any government, sovereign or other authority using military personnel or other agents; or
 - c. Insurrection, rebellion, revolution, usurped power, or action taken by governmental authority in hindering or defending against any of these.
- 14. Bodily harm or injury, sickness, disease, disability, humiliation, shock, fright, mental anguish or mental injury, including care, loss of services or death resulting from any of these at any time.
- **15.** Physical injury to or destruction of tangible property including all resulting loss of use; or loss of use of tangible property that is not physically injured.
- 16. Failure or interruption of or damage to the internet or internet service provider.

B. ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS

The following conditions apply in addition to the Common Policy Conditions.

1. Abandonment

There can be no abandonment of any property to us.

2. Concealment or Fraud

This policy is void if you have intentionally concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance relating to this insurance.

3. Coverage Territory

The "personal data compromise" must involve "personally identifying information" that was within your care, custody or control within the United States of America and Puerto Rico.

4. Data Compromise Liability Defense

- a. We shall have the right and the duty to assume the defense of any applicable "data compromise suit" against you. You shall give us such information and cooperation as we may reasonably require.
- b. You shall not admit liability for or settle any "data compromise suit" or incur any defense costs without our prior written consent.
- c. If you refuse to consent to any settlement recommended by us and acceptable to the claimant, we may then withdraw from your defense by tendering control of the defense to you. From that point forward, you shall, at your own expense, negotiate or defend such "data compromise suit" independently of us. Our liability shall not exceed the amount for which the claim or suit could have been settled if such recommendation was consented to, plus defense costs incurred by us, and defense costs incurred by you with our written consent, prior to the date of such refusal.
- d. We shall not be obligated to pay any damages or defense costs, or to defend or continue to defend any "data compromise suit", after the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit has been exhausted.
- e. We shall pay all interest on that amount of any judgment within the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit which accrues:
 - (1) after entry of judgment; and
 - (2) before we pay, offer to pay or deposit in court that part of the judgment within the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit or, in any case, before we pay or offer to pay the entire Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit.

These interest payments shall be in addition to and not part of the Data Compromise Defense and Liability Limit.

5. Due Diligence

You agree to use due diligence to prevent and mitigate costs covered under this Data Compromise Coverage Form. This includes, but is not limited to, complying with, and requiring your vendors to comply with, reasonable and industry-accepted protocols for:

 a. Providing and maintaining appropriate physical security for your premises, computer systems and hard copy files;

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- b. Providing and maintaining appropriate computer and Internet security;
- c. Maintaining and updating at appropriate intervals backups of computer data;
- d. Protecting transactions, such as processing credit card, debit card and check payments; and
- e. Appropriate disposal of files containing "personally identifying information," or "personally sensitive information", including shredding hard copy files and destroying physical media used to store electronic data,

6. Duties in the Event of a "Data Compromise Suit"

- a. If a "data compromise suit" is brought against you, you must:
 - (1) Immediately record the specifics of the "data compromise suit" and the date received; and
 - (2) Provide us with written notice, as soon as practicable, but in no event more than 90 days after the date the "data compromise suit" is first received by you.
 - (3) Immediately send us copies of any demands, notices, summonses or legal papers received in connection with the "data compromise suit";
 - (4) Authorize us to obtain records and other information;
 - (5) Cooperate with us in the investigation, settlement or defense of the "data compromise suit";
 - (6) Assist us, upon our request, in the enforcement of any right against any person or organization which may be liable to you because of loss to which this insurance may also apply; and
 - (7) Not take any action, or fail to take any required action, that prejudices your rights or our rights with respect to such "data compromise suit".
- b. You may not, except at your own cost, voluntarily make a payment, assume any obligation, or incur any expense without our prior written consent.
- c. If you become aware of a claim or complaint that may become a "data compromise suit," you shall promptly inform us of such claim or complaint.

7. Duties in the Event of a "Personal Data Compromise"

You must see that the following are done in the event of a "personal data compromise":

- a. Notify the police if a law may have been broken.
- b. Give us prompt notice of the "personal data compromise". You must report the "personal data compromise" to us within 90 days of the date you first discover it.
- c. As soon as possible, give us a description of how, when and where the "personal data compromise" occurred.
- d. Take all reasonable steps to protect "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" remaining in your care, custody or control. If feasible, preserve evidence of the "personal data compromise".
- e. Permit us to inspect the property and records proving the "personal data compromise".
- f. If requested, permit us to question you under oath at such times as may be reasonably required about any matter relating to this insurance or your claim, including your books and records. In such event, your answers must be signed.
- g. Send us a signed, sworn statement containing the information we request to investigate the claim. You must do this within 60 days after our request. We will supply you with the necessary forms.
- h. Cooperate with us in the investigation or settlement of the claim.

8. Legal Action Against Us

No one may bring a legal action against us under this insurance unless:

- a. There has been full compliance with all of the terms of this insurance; and
- b. The actions is brought within 2 years after the date the "personal data compromise" is first discovered by you.

9. Legal Advice

We are not your legal advisor. Our determination of what is or is not covered under this Data Compromise Coverage Form does not represent advice or counsel from us about what you should or should not do.

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10. Other Insurance

If there is other insurance that applies to the same loss, damage or expense, this Data Compromise Coverage shall apply only as excess insurance after all other applicable insurance has been exhausted.

11. Policy Period

This policy applies only to "personal data compromises" that are first discovered by you during the policy period shown in the General Declarations. The policy period begins and ends at 12:01 a.m., Standard Time, at your address shown in the General Declarations.

12, Pre-Notification Consultation

You agree to consult with us prior to the issuance of notification to "affected individuals." We assume no responsibility under this Data Compromise Coverage for any services promised to "affected individuals" without our prior agreement. If possible, this pre-notification consultation will also include the designated service provider(s) as agreed to under Condition 13. Service Providers. You must provide the following at our pre-notification consultation with you:

- a. The exact list of "affected individuals" to be notified, including contact information.
- b. Information about the "personal data compromise" that may appropriately be communicated with "affected individuals."
- c. The scope of services that you desire for the "affected individuals." For example, coverage may be structured to provide fewer services in order to make those services available to more "affected individuals" without exceeding the available Response Expenses Limit.

13. Service Providers

- a. We will only pay under this Data Compromise Coverage for services that are provided by service providers approved by us. You must obtain our prior approval for any service provider whose expenses you want covered under this Data Compromise Coverage. We will not unreasonably withhold such approval.
- b. Prior to the Pre-Notification Consultation described in Additional Condition 12. above, you must come to agreement with us regarding the service provider(s) to be used for the Notification to Affected Individuals and Services to Affected Individuals. We will suggest a service provider. If you prefer to use an alternate service provider, our coverage is subject to the following limitations:
 - (1) Such alternate service provider must be approved by us;
 - (2) Such alternate service provider must provide services that are reasonably equivalent or superior in both kind and quality to the services that would have been provided by the service provider we had suggested; and
 - (3) Our payment for services provided by any alternate service provider will not exceed the amount that we would have paid using the service provider we had suggested.

14. Services

The following conditions apply as respects any services provided to you or any "affected individual" by us, our designees or any service firm paid for in whole or in part under this Data Compromise coverage:

- a. The effectiveness of such services depends on your cooperation and assistance,
- b. All services may not be available or applicable to all individuals. For example, "affected individuals" who are minors or foreign nationals may not have credit records that can be provided or monitored. Service in Canada will be different from service in the United States and Puerto Rico in accordance with local conditions.
- We do not warrant or guarantee that the services will end or eliminate all problems associated with the covered events.
- d. You will have a direct relationship with the professional service firms paid for in whole or in part under this coverage. Those firms work for you.

15, Prompt Payment of Claims

- a. Receipt of Notice of Claim.
 - (1) Not later than the 15th day after the date we receive notice of a claim, we will:
 - (i) acknowledge receipt of the claim;
 - (ii) commence any investigation of the claim; and

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- (2) request from you all items, statements, and forms that we reasonably believe, at that time, will be required from you.
- (3) We may make additional requests for information if during the investigation of the claim the additional requests are necessary.
- (4) If the acknowledgment of receipt of a claim is not made in writing, we will make a record of the date, manner, and content of the acknowledgment.
- b. Notice of Acceptance or Rejection of Claim.
 - (1) Except as provided by Subsection 4, we will notify you in writing of the acceptance or rejection of a claim not later than the 15th business day after the date we receive all items, statements, and forms required by us to secure final proof of loss.
 - (2) If we reject the claim, the notice required by Subsection a. must state the reasons for the rejection.
 - (3) If we are unable to accept or reject the claim within the period specified by Subsection a., we, within that same period, will notify you of the reasons that we need additional time. We will accept or reject the claim not later than the 45th day after the date we notify you under this subsection.
- c. Payment of Claim.
 - (1) Except as otherwise provided by this section, if we notify you under Subsection b that we will pay a claim or part of a claim, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date notice is made.
 - (2) If payment of the claim or part of the claim is conditioned on the performance of an act by you, we will pay the claim not later than the fifth business day after the date the act is performed.
- d. Delay in Payment of Claim.
 - (1) Except as otherwise provided, if we after receiving all items, statements, and forms reasonably requested and required under Subsection a, delay payment of the claim for a period exceeding the period specified by applicable statutes or, if other statutes do not specify a period, for more than 90 days, we will pay damages and other items as provided by Texas Insurance Code Section 542.060.
 - (2) Subsection a. does not apply in a case in which it is found as a result of arbitration or litigation that a claim received by us is invalid and should not be paid by us.

C. DEFINITIONS

With respect to the provisions of this Data Compromise Coverage Form only, the following definitions are added:

- 1. "Affected Individual" means any person who is your current, former or prospective customer, client, member, owner, director or employee and whose "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" is lost, stolen, accidentally released or accidentally published by a "personal data compromise" covered under this Coverage Form. This definition is subject to the following provisions:
 - a. "Affected individual" does not include any business or organization. Only an individual person may be an "affected individual."
 - b. An "affected individual" must have a direct relationship with your interests as insured under this policy. The following are examples of individuals who would not meet this requirement:
 - (1) If you aggregate or sell information about individuals as part of your business, the individuals about whom you keep such information do not qualify as "affected individuals." However, specific individuals may qualify as "affected individuals" for another reason, such as being an employee of yours.
 - (2) If you store, process, transmit or transport records, the individuals whose "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information you are storing, processing, transmitting or transporting for another entity do not qualify as "affected individuals." However, specific individuals may qualify as "affected individuals" for another reason, such as being an employee of yours.
 - (3) You may have operations, interests or properties that are not insured under this policy. Individuals who have a relationship with you through such other operations, interests or properties do not qualify as "affected individuals." However, specific individuals may qualify as "affected individuals" for another reason, such as being an employee of the operation insured under this policy.
 - c. An "affected individual" may reside anywhere in the world.
- 2. "Data Compromise Defense Costs" means expenses resulting solely from the investigation, defense and appeal of any "data compromise suit" against you. Such expenses must be reasonable and necessary. They will be incurred by us. They do not include your salaries or your loss of earnings. They do include premiums for any appeal bond, attachment bond or similar bond, but without any obligation to apply for or furnish any such bond.
- 3. "Data Compromise Liability"

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- a. "Data compromise liability" means the following, when they arise from a "data compromise suit":
 - (1) Damages, judgments or settlements to "affected individuals";
 - (2) Defense costs added to that part of any judgment paid by us, when such defense costs are awarded by law or court order; and
 - (3) Pre-judgment interest on that part of any judgment paid by us.
- b. "Data compromise liability" does not mean:
 - (1) Damages, judgments or settlements to anyone who is not an "affected individual";
 - (2) Civil or criminal fines or penalties imposed by law;
 - (3) Punitive or exemplary damages;
 - (4) The multiplied portion of multiplied damages;
 - (5) Taxes; or
 - (6) Matters which may be deemed uninsurable under the applicable law.
- 4. "Data Compromise Suit"
 - a. "Data Compromise Suit" means a civil proceeding in which damages to one or more "affected individuals" arising from a "personal data compromise" or the violation of a governmental statute or regulation are alleged. Such proceeding must be brought in the United States of America, Puerto Rico or Canada. "Data compromise suit" includes:
 - (1) An arbitration proceeding in which such damages are claimed and to which you must submit or do submit with our consent;
 - (2) Any other alternative dispute resolution proceeding in which such damages are claimed and to which you submit with our consent; or
 - (3) A written demand for money, when such demand could reasonably result in a civil proceeding as described in this definition.
 - b. "Data compromise suit" does not mean any demand or action brought by or on behalf of someone who is:
 - Your director or officer;
 - (2) Your owner or part-owner; or
 - (3) A holder of your securities;
 - in their capacity as such, whether directly, derivatively, or by class action. "Data compromise suit" will include proceedings brought by such individuals in their capacity as "affected individuals," but only to the extent that the damages claimed are the same as would apply to any other "affected individual."
 - c. "Data compromise suit" does not mean any demand or action brought by or on behalf of an organization, business, institution or any other party that is not an "affected individual" or governmental entity.
- 5. "Identity Theft" means the fraudulent use of "personally identifying information." This includes fraudulently using such information to establish credit accounts, secure loans, enter into contracts or commit crimes.
 - "Identity theft" does not include the fraudulent use of a business name, d/b/a or any other method of identifying a business activity.
- 6. "Malware-Related Compromise" means a "personal data compromise" that is caused, enabled or abetted by a virus or other malicious code that, at the time of the "personal data compromise", is named and recognized by the CERT® Coordination Center, McAfee®, Secunia, Symantec or other comparable third party monitors of malicious code activity.
- 7. "Personal Data Compromise" means the loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication of "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" as respects one or more "affected individuals". If the loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication involves "personally identifying information", such loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication must result in or have the reasonable possibility of resulting in the fraudulent use of such information. This definition is subject to the following provisions:
 - a. At the time of the loss, theft, accidental release or accidental publication, the "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" need not be at the insured premises but must be in the direct care, custody or control of:
 - (1) You; or
 - (2) A professional entity with which you have a direct relationship and to which you (or an "affected individual" at your direction) have turned over (directly or via a professional transmission or transportation provider) such information for storage, processing, transmission or transportation of such information.

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- b. "Personal data compromise" includes disposal or abandonment of "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" without appropriate safeguards such as shredding or destruction, subject to the following provisions:
 - (1) The failure to use appropriate safeguards must be accidental and not reckless or deliberate; and
 - (2) Such disposal or abandonment must take place during the time period for which this Data Compromise Coverage is effective.
- c. "Personal data compromise" includes situations where there is a reasonable cause to suspect that such "personally identifying information" or "personally sensitive information" has been lost, stolen, accidentally released or accidentally published, even if there is no firm proof.
- d. All incidents of "personal data compromise" that are discovered at the same time or arise from the same cause will be considered one "personal data compromise".
- 8. "Personally Identifying Information" means information, including health information, that could be used to commit fraud or other illegal activity involving the credit, access to health care or identity of an "affected individual". This includes, but is not limited to, Social Security numbers or account numbers.
 - "Personally identifying information" does not mean or include information that is otherwise available to the public, such as names and addresses.
- 9. "Personally Sensitive Information" means private information specific to an individual the release of which requires notification of "affected individuals" under any applicable law.
 - "Personally sensitive information" does not mean or include "personally identifying information".
- 10. "Reckless Disregard" means that:
 - a. The action or procedure is deliberate; and
 - b. The action or procedure entails either a certainty or a high probability of causing or allowing a "personal data compromise".

All other provisions of this policy apply,

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Calendar Year Named Storm Deductible

The Named Storm Wind/Hall Deductible, as described elsewhere in this policy, will apply anew in each calendar year. If the policy period does not coincide with the calendar year, then a separate Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible will apply to loss or damage that occurs during each calendar year in which the policy is in force. For example, if the policy period is from July 1 of calendar year 1 to June 30 of calendar year 2, a separate Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible applies to loss or damage occurring from July 1 to December 31 of calendar year 1 and to loss or damage occurring from January 1 to June 30 of calendar year 2.

When a Named Storm results in loss or damage that exhausts the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible, then that Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible will not apply to loss or damage from a subsequent Named Storm in the same calendar year. In such case, the Deductible that applies to loss or damage from each subsequent Named Storm in that calendar year shall be the "All Other Wind/Hail" Deductible.

When a Named Storm results in loss or damage that does not exhaust the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible, then the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible applicable to a subsequent Named Storm in the same calendar year shall be the greater of:

- a) the All Other Wind/Hail Deductible; or
- b) the remaining amount of the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible. In this situation, the remaining amount of the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible is determined by subtracting the amount(s) of the aforementioned loss or damage from the Named Storm Wind/Hail Deductible.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged,

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Compass Sinkhole Loss Extension

It is understood and agreed that this policy is amended as follows:

- 1. The words "Sinkhole Loss" are deleted from the Earth Movement Definition in Section VIII.I.5. of the AR Compass 01 15 Form.
- 2. The Compass Form is extended to cover Sinkhole Loss, as defined under Section VIII.AA.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY, PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

EXCLUSION OF CERTIFIED ACTS OF TERRORISM

A. The following definition is added with respect to the provisions of this endorsement:

"Certified Act of Terrorism" means an act that is certified by the Secretary of the Treasury, in accordance with the provisions of the federal Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, to be an act of terrorism pursuant to such Act. The criteria contained in the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act for a "Certified Act of Terrorism" include the following:

- 1. The act resulted in insured losses in excess of \$5 million in the aggregate, attributable to all types of insurance subject to the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act; and
- 2. The act is a violent act or an act that is dangerous to human life, property or infrastructure and is committed by an individual or individuals as part of an effort to coerce the civilian population of the United States or to influence the policy or affect the conduct of the United States Government by coercion.
- B. The following exclusion is added;

CERTIFIED ACT OF TERRORISM EXCLUSION

The Companies will not pay for loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by a "Certified Act of Terrorism". Such loss or damage is excluded regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to the loss.

C. Exception Covering Certain Fire Losses

As respects to property located in states that have Standard Fire Policy or similar laws mandating that insurance Companies provide coverage for "fire following" any Certified Acts of Terrorism, the following exception to the exclusion in Paragraph B, applies:

If a "Certified Act of Terrorism" results in fire, the Companies will pay for the loss or damage caused by that fire. Such coverage for fire applies only to direct loss or damage by fire to Covered Property. Therefore, for example, the coverage does not apply to insurance provided under Business Income and/or Extra Expense coverage forms or endorsements which apply to those forms, or to the Legal Liability Coverage Form or the Leasehold Interest Coverage Form.

If aggregate insured losses attributable to terrorist acts certified under the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act exceed \$100 billion in a calendar year and the Companies have met their insurer deductible under the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, the Companies shall not be liable for the payment of any portion of the amount of such losses that exceeds \$100 billion, and in such case insured losses up to that amount are subject to pro rata allocation in accordance with procedures established by the Secretary of the Treasury.

D. Application Of Other Exclusions

The terms and limitations of any terrorism exclusion, or the inapplicability or omission of a terrorism exclusion, do not serve to create coverage for any loss which would otherwise be excluded under this Coverage Part or Policy, such as losses excluded by the Nuclear Hazard Exclusion or the War and Military Action Exclusion.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

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ARIAS. Umpire Selection Procedure

Effective 1/1/2000

C. Candidate Ranking and Umpire Selection

- 1. Within seven (7) days after timely receipt of completed Questionnaires from ten (10) available candidates, each party shall select five (5) names from the list of available candidates and simultaneously notify the other party of its selections. The parties should agree on the date, time and method for this simultaneous exchange.
- 2. Within seven (7) days of the receipt of these initial selections, each party shall select three (3) names from the other party's list and simultaneously exchange these three (3) names with the other party. The parties should agree on the date, time and method for this simultaneous exchange. If the name of a single individual is present on the list of three (3) names of both parties, that individual will be appointed as umpire. If the names of more than one individual are present on both lists, the parties shall select their umpire from among those individuals by drawing lots or by another method acceptable to both parties.
- 3. If there is no name present on both lists of three (3) names, the parties shall, within three (3) days after receipt of the lists, rank each of the six (6) candidates in order of preference from "1" through "6", with "1" being the most preferred. The candidate with the lowest combined numerical ranking shall be appointed as umpire. In the event two or more candidates are tied, the parties shall select their umpire from among those candidates by drawing lots or by another method acceptable to both parties.
- 4. When an umpire has been selected, the parties should notify all responding candidates who were not selected that the selection process is complete.

From: Dale Frediani <dsf1545@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 4:04 PM

To: dans@jansenai.com

Cc:Jared T. Greisman; Jennifer F. Mindlin; lakirby@jgkl.comSubject:Re: IBS Warehouse vs. Various Insurers ArbitrationAttachments:C_Reilly_CV.pdf; D Sullivan CV Feb 2017 (2).docx

Dan - attached are the CV's of two suggested Umpires. I'll get you a third tomorrow.

I'd suggest we each strike two of the other's three, then do a random selection of one from the remaining two. Or, we could each rank the six recommendations and select the highest ranked (or, if there is a tie, then a random selection).

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<lakirby@jqkl.com>

Sent: Tue, Aug 21, 2018 1:07 pm

Subject: RE: IBS Warehouse vs. Various Insurers Arbitration

Dale,

As discussed, please provide 3 candidates for umpire review regarding the above mention Arbitration. I can provide 2 more umpires for your consideration as well.

If we cannot agree on a umpire we will move forward in accordance with the Arbitration Clause.



Best Regards,

Dan Stouffer, CPPA

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Office: 281 873-8700 E-Fax: 281 874-7559 Fax: 281 872-1715 From: Dale Frediani [mailto:dsf1545@aol.com] Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 11:15 AM To: Dan Stouffer <dans@jansenai.com>

Cc: jgreisman@fleischnerpotash.com; jmindlin@fleischnerpotash.com; lakirby@jgkl.com

Subject: IBS Warehouse vs. Various Insurers Arbitration

Dan - this will confirm our conversation of this morning in which I advised I was not comfortable with Mr. Ruff as our Umpire. We discussed that it is likely we could agree on a methodology for appointing an Umpire, but that we would need additional time beyond the date set by counsel for the parties. By a copy of this email I am requesting counsel for the insurers agree to extend the deadline until September 11, 2018 for our appointment of an Umpire in accordance with the Arbitration Clause in the policy.

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Contractors Equipment, Time Element, Inland Marine,

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International Institute of Loss Adjustors

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Society of Registered Professional Adjusters

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Loss Executives Association

Loss Committee Adjuster "A"

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Desmond Sullivan

 Desmond is the President of Lloyd Warwick International, New York.



- He has over 40 years' experience in dealing with large industrial, energy and commercial losses across the globe.
- During that time he has worked in offices in Jamaica, Singapore and Los Angeles and has managed offices in London, Thailand and New York.
- He is a Fellow of the Chartered Insurance Institute and a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Loss Adjusters.
- Desmond has handled many large losses and has also been responsible for the management of numerous national and global accounts.
- He acquired extensive CAT experience from hurricanes Floyd, Ike, Georges, Rita, Wilma, Katrina, Irene and Sandy. At the time of 9/11 he was the managing director of the New York office of an international adjuster.
- His involvement in the negotiation and settlement of large claims has given him experience of both the loss appraisal and arbitration processes, most recently following a major event at a process facility in Louisiana.
- He currently holds adjusting licenses in New York, Texas, Kentucky, Louisiana, South Carolina, Michigan, Mississippi and Washington.
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PLAINTIFFS' REPLY TO DEFENDANTS' RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS' APPLICATION FOR ANTI-SUIT INJUNCTION

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, IBS Warehousing LLC and CI Logistics, LLC and file this, their Reply to Defendants' Response in Opposition to Plaintiffs' Application for Anti-Suit Injunction, and would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

I. SUMMARY OF THE ARGUMENT

1. Plaintiffs are entitled to an anti-suit injunction against the Defendants proceeding with their petition to appoint an arbitrator in New York or in any other court except this court. The parties filed, in this Court, a joint motion for referral to arbitration

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and in the related order, the Court retained any rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 to appoint an arbitrator if the parties cannot agree on the third umpire arbitrator. More importantly, the arbitration clause at issue does not contain a clause selecting New York as a forum for lawsuit or litigation.

II. ARGUMENT AND AUTHORITIES

A. Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration.

2. On August 4, 2017, this Court signed the Agreed Order on Joint Notice of Referral to Arbitration. The order, agreed to by the parties, expressly states that the Court "retains any rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act." (See Exhibit 1). Defendants now attempt to argue that this Court does not have jurisdiction over matters pertaining to this arbitration under 9 U.S.C. § 5. However, an application to have the court appoint an arbitral umpire in the event of an impasse, as the Defendants have improperly petitioned in New York, is precisely the authority reserved for this Court under 9 U.S.C. § 5 and in the agreed order reserving such right to this Court.

B. Arbitration Clause Does Not Contain a Forum-Selection Clause.

3. This Court has primary jurisdiction because it is the first filed court. *Wyatt v. Shaw Plumbing Co.*, 760 S.W.2d 245, 248 (Tex. 1988). Defendants erroneously argue that Texas Courts do not have jurisdiction over this cause because of the terms of the Policy's arbitration provision. The pertinent portion of the Arbitration Clause provides that "[t]he seat of the Arbitration shall be in New York and the Arbitration Tribunal shall apply the law of New York as the proper law of this insurance." Plaintiffs agree that the Arbitration shall occur in New York and that the non-lawyer arbitrators shall endeavor to

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apply New York law to the arbitration proceeding.¹ However, Defendants are incorrect in characterizing the Arbitration Clause as a choice of forum clause for litigation purposes.

4. Texas Courts have recognized that they must dismiss a case if they find the existence of a mandatory forum-selection clause. *Ramsay v. Texas Trading Co., Inc.,* 254 S.W.3d 620, 631 (Tex. App.—Texarkana 2008, pet. denied). A mandatory forum-selection clause provides that there is only one appropriate and exclusive forum for all litigation, and as a result, a trial court should dismiss a suit filed in a forum that conflicts with the agreed upon-forum. *In re AIU Ins. Co.,* 148 S.W.3d 109, 111 (Tex. 2004) (the relevant clause stated: "all *litigation*, arbitration or other form of dispute resolution shall take place in the state of New York.") (Emphasis added). On the other hand, Texas Courts have not treated arbitration clauses like forum-selection clauses unless the contractual language is explicit as to the mandatory forum for litigation purposes.

5. In *PCC Sterom, S.A. v. Yuma Expl. & Prod. Co.*, a distribution agreement between the parties "provided that Texas law would apply to disputes under the agreement and that arbitration would be conducted in Texas..." No. 01-06-00414-CV, 2006 WL 2864478 at *6 (Tex. App.—Houston [1st Dist.] Oct. 5, 2006, no pet.) (mem. op). The *Sterom* court found that the distribution agreement provided Texas as the forum for arbitration, but "it does not evince Sterom's anticipation of being haled into a Texas court for litigation purposes...[and] these provisions are not of sufficient quality to show

¹ Defendants cite case law involving the New York Convention and discuss primary vs. secondary jurisdiction. While it is unclear in their response why this is cited, the New York Convention only applies to foreign (outside the United States) arbitrations or arbitrations between citizens of different countries whereby the parties seek to enforce the domestic arbitration in a foreign venue. (See *Karaha Bodas Co. v. Negara*, 335 F.3d 357, 364-365 (5th Cir. 2003). The New York Convention has no application to this case. The arbitration provision at issue in this case provides specific acceptable places whereby the parties may enforce the award.

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purposeful availment." *Id.* at *9. Accordingly, the *Sterom* court held that the trial court erred in denying Sterom's special appearance because it did not have specific or general jurisdiction over Sterom. *Id.* at *13.

- 6. In KKT International, Ltd. v. Smartwise International, Ltd., the parties signed a "Letter of Agreement" which contained a governance clause providing that the agreement would be "bound by the courts and rules, as governed in USA in case of arbitration or disputes." No. 02-14-00348-CV, 2015 WL 5025166 at *1 (Tex. App.—Fort Worth Aug. 25, 2015, no pet.) (mem. op.). KKT sued Smartwise in a Texas court and Smartwise filed a special appearance. Id. at *2. KKT argued that "the governance clause was a forum-selection clause and, therefore, acted as...consent to personal jurisdiction in Texas." Id. at *3. The KKT court distinguished between a forum-selection clause and a choice-of-law clause and found that "[a]t most, the governance clause is a choice-oflaw provision that attempts to dictate what law would govern any dispute or arbitration." Id. at *4. The KKT court further noted that the "clause does not indicate that [the parties] contractually agreed that any lawsuits would be litigated in courts located in Texas, nor does it prohibit litigation in United States jurisdictions other than Texas. Id. (citing Sw. Intelecom, Inc. v. Hotel Networks Corp., 997 S.W.2d 322, 325 (Tex. App.—Austin 1999, pet. denied). Accordingly, the KKT court affirmed the trial court's order sustaining the special appearance and concluded that the clause at issue was not a forum-selection clause. Id. at *8.
- 7. Similar to *Sterom* and *KKT*, the Arbitration Clause in the instant case does not contain a forum-selection clause. Nowhere in the Arbitration Clause does it state that the parties agreed to the state of New York as an exclusive forum for all litigation. The

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agreement provides for arbitration to occur in New York and also requires the non-lawyer

arbitrators to follow New York law. However, the Arbitration Clause is at best, silent as

to the issue of the proper forum for litigation purposes. See Phx. Network Techs (Europe)

Ltd. v. Neon Sys. Inc., 177 S.W.3d 605, 612 (Tex. App.—Houston [1st Dist.] 2005, no

pet.) (stating that "[i]f the parties have not agreed to an exclusive forum, then the clause

to which they agreed is not a forum-selection clause in the first place.") Therefore, it is

improper for the Defendants to rely on the Arbitration Provision to argue that venue is not

proper in this Court and that New York courts have primary jurisdiction.

8. Because the Hidalgo County lawsuit has been on file since May 2017, the

lawsuit in this Court is the dominant forum. This Court, having subject matter jurisdiction

over the suit and personal jurisdiction over the parties, has the jurisdictional power to

protect its jurisdiction by enjoining the parties to a suit filed in another court. See

Christensen v. Integrity Ins. Co., 719 S.W.2d 161, 163 (Tex. 1986); see also London

Market Insurers v. Am. Home Assur., 95 S.W.3d 702, 706 (Tex. App.—Corpus Christi

2003, no pet.).

C. Defendants cannot enforce arbitral award against Plaintiffs in New York.

9. The Arbitration Clause at issue provides that "[i]f either of the parties should

fail to carry out any award the other may apply for its enforcement to a court of competent

jurisdiction in any territory in which the party in default is domiciled or has assets or carries

on business." Rather than making New York the forum for arbitration, the clause actually

excludes New York as a proper forum where Defendants can file to confirm an arbitration.

Plaintiffs are not domiciled in New York, do not have any assets in New York, and do not

carry on any business in New York. (Exhibit 3, Affidavit Joaquin Spamer). Therefore, in

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accordance with the agreed upon Arbitration Clause, the Defendants cannot invoke the New York courts to enforce any arbitration award. If they cannot enforce the award, it follows logically that they cannot take any action in the New York courts relative to this arbitration. Thus, the New York courts do not have jurisdiction over this arbitration even if they would have been the first filed court.

CONCLUSION

Because this Court has subject matter jurisdiction over the suit and personal jurisdiction over the parties to the suit, it may address this anti-suit injunction. As requested in Plaintiffs' Application for Anti-Suit Injunction, Plaintiffs request that this court enter a restraining order, a temporary injunction and a permanent injunction enjoining Defendants from proceeding with the action in New York to appoint an umpire arbitrator. If Defendants were able to continue with that action, two Umpires could be appointed which could result in separate judgments and confusion for the parties.

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Before me, the undersigned notary, on this day personally appeared JOAQUIN SPAMER, the affiant, whose identity is known to me. After I administered an oath, affiant testified as follows:

- 1. "My name is JOAQUIN SPAMER. I am over 18 years of age, of sound mind, and capable of making this affidavit. The facts stated in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct."
- 2. "I am the president of IBS Warehousing LLC "IBS". IBS is in the business of renting warehouse space located in Texas in the Rio Grande Valley. All of the warehouses owned by IBS are in Texas. IBS does not do business in any other state. IBS does not carry on business in New York state. IBS is incorporated in and domiciled in Texas and has all of its offices in Texas. IBS has all of its assets within Texas."

3. "I am the president of and CI Logistics LLC "CIL". CIL is in the business of providing logistics services to transport cotton to Mexico from locations within the United States. The cotton is stored temporarily in the Rio Grande Valley, Texas before moving on to Mexico. CIL does not carry on business in New York. CIL does not arrange to transport any cotton to or from New York state. CIL is incorporated in and domicited in Texas and has all of its offices in Texas. CIL has all of its assets within Texas."

JOAQUIN SPAMER

Sworn to and subscribed before me by JOAQUIN SPAMER on August

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PLAINTIFFS' REPLY TO DEFENDANTS' RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ARBITRATOR

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, IBS Warehousing LLC and CI Logistics, LLC and file this, their Reply to Defendants' Response In Opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion for Appointment of Arbitrator, and would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

I. WAIVER

1. Defendants assert that this Court does not have jurisdiction to appoint an arbitrator. Yet, Defendants waived this argument by jointly seeking arbitration and by agreeing to the order referring this matter to arbitration in which the court "retained any

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rights it may have under 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act." This section provides that "if there shall be a lapse in the naming of an...umpire...then upon the application of either party...the court shall designate and appoint...an umpire." See 9 U.S.C. § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act. If the Defendants wished to contest the Court's jurisdiction to compel arbitration and to appoint an umpire, they should have filed a jurisdictional contest rather than agreeing to it. However, even if the Court finds that no waiver occurred, the law is clear that this court has jurisdiction to the exclusion of the New York courts because this action was the first filed action.

II. JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT

2. Plaintiffs incorporate their argument (contained in their reply to Defendants' response to Plaintiffs' request for anti-suit injunction) the same as if copied at length herein. As stated therein, this court has jurisdiction and is the first filed court. Defendants next argue that the arbitrators may be able to reach an agreement on the selection of the umpire. This is not correct.

III. THE PARTIES ARE DEADLOCKED

3. Defendants invoked a New York court seeking to have that court appoint an arbitrator. By taking this action, Defendants necessarily took the position that a lapse had already occurred. After Plaintiffs requested that the court appoint an arbitrator, Defendants requested that the arbitrators try to agree upon the Umpire. The two (2) arbitrators have had three (3) weeks to try to reach an agreement. They have been unable to do so. Defendants' selected arbitrator Dale Frediani speculates in his affidavit (attached to Defendants' response) that he is "optimistic that Mr. Stouffer and he will be able to reach an agreement on the appointment of an Umpire in the near future." This affidavit

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was signed on August 23, 2018. However, the arbitrators discussed various candidates proposed to one another on August 24, 2018, and jointly determined that they had reached an impasse. (See Exhibit 5-A).

IV. LEGAL EFFECT OF IMPASSE

4. As noted above, the court *shall* appoint the Umpire if for any reason there is a lapse in the naming of the Umpire. See 9 U.S.C § 5 of the Federal Arbitration Act. Where the arbitration agreement provides that appointment of the arbitrators shall be by agreement and the parties reach a deadlock, a lapse has occurred which requires the court to appoint the arbitrator. *BP Expl. Libya Ltd. v. ExxonMobil Libya Ltd.*, 689 F.3d 481, 491-492 (5th Cir. 2012). "Congress sought in enacting § 5 to cure indefinite delay in arbitration proceedings based upon a disagreement over the appointment of arbitrators by providing parties with access to a neutral forum to correct such failures." *Id.* at 493-495. Since the arbitrators are deadlocked on appointment of the Umpire and no mechanism is provided to break the deadlock, the court "shall" appoint the Umpire.

V. PERSON TO BE APPOINTED

- 5. Defendants seek to have the court create a system whereby the arbitrators could eliminate their deadlock and essentially draw lots on who the umpire would be. As noted, § 5 requires the court to make the appointment when there is a lapse. The statute does not empower the court to create a system for breaking the deadlock. Instead, the court "shalf" appoint the umpire.
- 6. Plaintiffs seek to have the court appoint Lawrence Ruff as the Umpire.

 Defendants object to this appointment on the basis that he is not qualified under the arbitration clause and point to his experience as an estimator. The arbitration qualification

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clause reads in a pertinent part: "The Arbitration Tribunal shall consist of persons

employed or engaged in a senior position in Insurance ... claims." This broad language

certainly includes Mr. Ruff who has been employed as a Claims Manager from 2008-2015

and as an Appraisal Specialist from 2015-2018. Both of these jobs deal exclusively with

employment in insurance claims as further described in his CV (See Exhibit 4).

Defendants' proposed arbitrators perform work exclusively for insurance

companies. Mr. Ruff has experience working as an arbitrator, umpire and appraiser on

insurance claims. Mr. Ruff is the better qualified candidate with experience that is most

pertinent to the issues involved in this arbitration. In addition, Mr. Ruff's construction

experience will also be very helpful to all parties for this arbitration. Mr. Ruff is the better

candidate to be appointed as the Umpire for this arbitration.

7.

CONCLUSION

This court has jurisdiction, as the first filed court and to the exclusion of other

courts, to appoint the Umpire since the parties are deadlocked. Lawrence Ruff's

qualifications and experience are better than Defendants' proposed arbitrators for this

type of arbitration. This court should appoint Mr. Ruff as the arbitrator.

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3. "I hereby certify that the email attached exhibit 5-A hereto is a true and correct copy of the original email sent to me, to opposing counsel, and the other arbitrator Dale Frediani, by Dan Stouffer."

Further Affiant Sayeth not.

LANCE A KIRBY

Sworn to and subscribed before me by LANCE A. KIRBY on August 24th

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Lance,

Today I contacted Mr. Frediani regarding the umpire selection. After discussing the proposed umpires we are at an impasse on the selection.

Please move forward in accordance with Arbitration clause.



Best Regards,

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